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## U.S.S.R. PACT DEBATED IN THE LORDS

LONDON, June 8.

IN THE House of Lords to-day, the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, expressed the hope that a permanent Anglo-Polish mutual aid pact would be concluded shortly.

Responding to criticism of the delay in the negotiations with Russia, Lord Halifax said Great Britain was unable to thrust assurances of non-aggression on the Baltic States if they are not wanted.

"At the same time it must be recognised from the viewpoint of her own security that Russia cannot be disinterested in the security of her neighbours," he said.

### Peace With Germany

He added that he thought the British people "still earnestly desire to reach an agreement with Germany" not only to assist in the settlement of any particular question, but also to place the two countries on a secure footing of mutual confidence."

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### COMMONS AND THE FAR EAST

## Britain's Sympathies With China Stressed

LONDON, June 8.

REPLYING TO Mr. J. W. Bansfield in connection with Viscount Halifax's recent speech at Geneva, Mr. R. A. Butler said that the Government proposed to continue to give effect to the resolutions of the League of Nations in favour of the maximum sympathetic aid to China.

Asked by Mr. Robert Morgan to state what effect the Government had given to the various League resolutions, Mr. Butler said he was sending Mr. Morgan extracts from the minutes of the League Council at which Viscount Halifax made it clear that the Government had not departed from the policy prescribed for League members in previous resolutions, and mentioning the lines on which they had taken action in recognition of their obligations under those resolutions.

### Yangtse Blockade

Replies to Sir Alfred Knox with regard to the freedom of transit on the Yangtse, Mr. Butler said that by coincidence, the French, British and American Ambassadors, and the naval commanders-in-chief had recently found themselves simultaneously in Shanghai, and no doubt they took opportunity of exchange views on various matters of common concern.

Viscount Halifax was not aware of a formal meeting having taken place.

Further representations on the subject of British trade in the Yangtse delta were made to Japan by Sir Robert Craigie on June 6.—Reuters.

### Meeting In Shanghai

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Col. Spear's Arrest

Lieut-Commander Fletcher asked what action was being taken with the Japanese Government relative to the arrest of Lieut-Col. Spear, and Mr. Butler replied that the matter had been taken up urgently with the appropriate Japanese authorities with a view to securing Colonel Spear's early release.—Reuters.

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## "We Will Defend All Frontiers"—Belgium

BRUSSELS, June 8.—"We are determined to defend all our frontiers without exception or reserve, both in Europe and Africa," declared the Prime Minister, M. Pierlot, in the course of a speech in the Chamber.

Defining the country's foreign policy, M. Pierlot declared that Belgium's policy was not one of neutrality, but independence. "Belgium is resolutely pacific, and determined only to take up arms against aggression directly threatening her vital interests."

Examining her relations with Holland, the Premier affirmed that Belgium did not desire a military alliance with the Netherlands. He said that Belgium meant to maintain correct peaceful relations with all her neighbours.—Reuters.

## 600,000 Greet King & Queen

Uproarious  
Welcome In  
Washington

WASHINGTON,

June 8.  
PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S hearty "How are you," the cheers of 600,000 American citizens and the crash of saluting cannon greeted Their Majesties as they walked through the saluting lines of Marines and sailors to the presidential receptions after their arrival in the Capital at noon to-day.

Cheers resounded through the high-vaulted Union Station regardless of the stiff formality of diplomatic etiquette.

"How are you? I am so glad to see you!" said President Roosevelt. King George smiled broadly, murmured a response to the President and held out his hand—which Mr. Roosevelt shook heartily.

The King then turned and presented the Queen to President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

His Majesty wore the glittering full dress-uniform of an Admiral while the President was in formal morning attire.

Ladies In Wool

The Queen and Mrs. Roosevelt wore blue woolen dresses which were a mutual gift from British and United States wool growers.

At 12.11 p.m. the Royal visitors, with the Roosevelts and Cabinet ministers, emerged from the vast station; the saluting troops presented arms; the crowds roared cheers and the Marine Band played "The Star Spangled Banner" and "God Save the King."

The King stood at the salute while Mr. Roosevelt held his top hat over his heart, the entire party remaining immobile during the playing of the national anthems and the 21 gun salute, after which they proceeded slowly to the White House in motor cars amidst the roars of the crowds.

The King and the President were in the first car and the ladies in the second.

Queen Elizabeth immediately opened her parasol—the temperature was 88 degrees in the packed and sweltering streets.

The party talked animatedly as planes roared overhead along the streets, at intervals of four feet, soldiers, sailors and marines snapped to attention with presented arms. Ahead and behind were rumbling tanks and cavalry.

Waves To Crowd

The King kept saluting the crowd while the Queen occasionally waved her parasol.

The party entered the White House.

When the Queen and Mrs. Roosevelt exchanged greetings at the station, Mrs. Roosevelt did not curtsey.

Liked Each Other

The ladies smiled, exchanged immediate, to like each other.

They rode side by side in the open car to the accompaniment of "Oh!" and "Ah!" from the women in the crowd, who marvelled at the Queen's beauty.—United Press.

Tumultuous Cheers

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The King and Queen arrived at the Union Station, Washington, at 4 p.m. G.M.T. and the crowds who had been silent cheered; and what action was being taken.

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## DREADNOUGHTS IN PACIFIC

## Can Britain Send Ships?

LONDON, June 8.

THE PRIME MINISTER declared in the House of Commons to-day that the report on the New Zealand conference with regard to the Pacific had been received and was being considered.

The proceedings would not be published as they were confidential.

## TAKE FIRM ATTITUDE

Chungking Urges  
British Stand

CHUNGKING, June 8.

WELL-INFORMED Chinese circles decry the British concessions to the Japanese in Tientsin as "a weak attempt to apply to policy of appeasement in the Far East."

They claim that under no circumstances should Chinese citizens be tried under British or Japanese law or laws and that they should be punished under police regulations. In the concessions or according to Chinese laws promulgated by the National Government.

"British recognition of the Japanese invaders as the de facto authorities would be a clear definition of British foreign policy in the Far East—and could be recognised only as a concession to Japan or as a part of policy of appeasement which has clearly failed in other parts of the world," it is claimed.

Pointing out that the strong British stand at Kuanlung prevented further Japanese encroachment, they said: "A policy of weakness at Tientsin at present would only re-open the struggle between the third powers and Japan."

"Japan always takes advantage of any weakness shown and Britain should move carefully before committing herself to any policy of appeasement such as the reported weakness at Tientsin which, it is indicated, is a policy she may be adopting."—United Press.

## 512 Miles By Electric

PARIS.—The first train ran recently over the all-electric route from Paris to Hendaye (512 miles) in less than eight hours.

THE QUEEN

(Washington Approved)

LADIES IN WOOL

THE QUEEN

# Spinster Wins to Aid Babies Child Farming Bill Passed

A MIDDLE-AGED spinster recently saw passed through the House of Commons her Adoption of Children (Regulation) Bill, which will safeguard the welfare of thousands of fatherless British children. M.P.s congratulated her, then rose to return to their homes for a week-end with their wives and children. She went back to her spinster apartment in Warwick-square, S.W.

Miss Florence Horbrugh, Cons. M.P. for Dundee, was happy that other people's babies were going to be cared for because of her. That was sufficient.

#### NO PENSION FOR HER

Miss Horbrugh is not interested in agitating for a pension because she has no husband.

She takes the train to Dundee and watches the little wofles of her constituents. In 1931, Dundee returned her to Parliament. Her one claim to fame was her canteen war work, for which she received the M.B.E.

She quickly became one of the House's most respected members, partly because her deep, soft voice and charming manners made her easy to listen to, largely because she was always sure of her facts, always brought with her proof of what she stated.

In 1937 she passed her first Bill through Parliament—a Bill to control the sale of methylated spirits in Scotland and thus reduce alcoholic poisoning. She watched addlets, saw their reactions, then gave the House a first-hand picture.

#### £600 FOR A CHILD

When she introduced her baby adoption Bill, she amazed the House with her statistics or prices paid for British children by organisers of baby farming rackets in this country.

She asked them whether they would like her to sit down. The reply was, "No, go on, go on."

She told them, "I have actually held in my hands a price list of



# Fight Fleet Air Arm News

Col. Llewellyn, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, stated recently in the House of Commons that the R.A.F. stations at Lee-on-the-Solent, Ford, Worthy Down, Donibristle, and Bermuda would be transferred from to-day to the Admiralty for the use of the Fleet Air Arm.

It was intended, he added, that the Admiralty should also take over at an early date the R.A.F. establishments at Lympne and Southampton. The administrative control of the Fleet Air Arm will also be transferred to the Admiralty to-day.

This is the logical outcome of the decision on control of the Fleet Air Arm reached by the Government in July, 1937. The Prime Minister then announced that ship-borne aircraft would be placed under the complete control of the Admiralty, but that all shore-based planes, including flying-boats and other aircraft used in co-operation with naval forces, would continue under the control of the Air Ministry.

#### NAVY'S VIEW

He indicated at the same time that the Admiralty would be permitted to have the necessary shore establishments for the training of its own pilots.

It has been frequently urged in naval circles that all aircraft used for naval co-operation, whether ship-borne or shore-based, should be under Admiralty control; and that the Navy should have a separate air force, self-sufficient for its needs.

On the other hand, R.A.F. experts have pointed out that the country cannot afford to provide and maintain two great air forces, one intended primarily for home and overseas defence and the other earmarked for the exclusive use of the Navy. No

other country, except the United States, maintains an exclusively naval air service as strong as our own Fleet Air Arm.

It is said, therefore, that the proper solution to the problem lies in closer co-operation between the defence services; and that if the time comes when the Navy requires the support of large numbers of shore-based aircraft, as, for instance, during a fleet action within flying range of these shores, this must be afforded by R.A.F. aircraft, whose pilots must be trained to operate with equal facility over land or sea.

#### V.C. IN CHARGE OF STATIONS

The Admiralty announced recently that Rear-Adm. Richard Bell Davies, V.C., had been appointed as Rear-Admiral in charge of naval air stations.

Rear Adm. Bell Davies received the V.C. for bravery in an air attack on Ferrilic Junction, Thrace, in 1916. During the war he commanded a number of aircraft units. Later he was in charge of the naval air section at the Admiralty, and from 1931 to 1933 he was lent to the Air Ministry for staff duties.

The personnel of the Fleet Air Arm will eventually be provided exclusively by the Navy. R.A.F.

officers and airmen will be withdrawn as the new naval personnel are trained.



Joan Bennett, first movie star to visit the New York Fair, looks over caricatures of movie celebrities made from egg shells, at "Strange As It Seems" exhibits. "Good eggs—all of 'em," she said.

# Admiral Crippled Sues Lance-Corporal

AN ADMIRAL, once a keen athlete and big game hunter, but now crippled by injuries received in a crash between his car and an Army tank, claimed damages at Wiltshire Assizes at Salisbury recently from a lance-corporal.

Admiral Sir (Allen) Thomas Hunt, of Byne House, Warminster (Wilts), was joined in the action by his wife, Lady (Dorothy) Hunt.

They sued Lance-Corporal P. W. Wilkinson, of the 3rd Battalion, Royal Tank Regiment, who was driving the tank at Warminster on November 15 last year when there was a collision.

#### BOY BITTEN BY ADDER

An adder bit eighteen-year-old George Ward on one of his fingers as he sat on the South Downs near Brighton recently.

Ward, who lives at Clifton Street, Brighton, ran a mile to Patcham village, and became unconscious. He was taken to hospital, and treated with serum. Early to-day his condition was said to be satisfactory.

The adder, the only poisonous snake in England, has a zig-zag mark down the back with a black V on the head.

#### World's Buttons Collected

Malaga, N.J. Mrs. Gertrude Patterson probably is the nation's No. 1 button collector for, since she started her hobby two

Negligence was admitted by Wilkinson, but he denied that the admiral and his wife had suffered any damage.

#### 45 YEARS IN NAVY

Mr. H. D. Samuels, K.C., told the jury that the admiral served for 45 years in the Navy and was the first naval officer to receive the decoration of the Companionship of the Star of India.

He had hunted big game in every country in the world except Australia, and had been a keen athlete.

He was recovering from an illness on November 15, when the car was run into by the tank, which weighed 15 tons.

The result was that he could not walk at all now, except when he wore a steel jacket.

It was the doctor's opinion that he would remain for the rest of his life an invalid and a cripple.

Lady Hunt suffered from lack of sleep and loss of memory as a result of the accident.

The hearing was adjourned.

years ago, she has acquired a collection of more than 28,000. She has specimens from all parts of the world.

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# Peter, £3,000-a-Year Club Host, Sentenced ONCE A WAITER



"SAD abut Peter, isn't it?" was the question heard in West End night clubs recently.

Peter Edward Mazzina, best-known of the young men running the business of London's night-life, had been sent to prison for three months earlier in the day at Bow-street. Mazzina, 36-year-old ex-waiter who rose to be £3,000-a-year managing director of the Ambassador Club, W., was convicted of having obtained credit without disclosing that he was an undischarged bankrupt.

He gave notice of appeal and was released on bail.

Mazzina, born in London, was 13 when he ran away from the Merchant's School, crossed to France, and got a waiter's job at the Ritz Hotel, Paris.

Less than two years after, he returned to London to work in West End hotels.

When he was 23 the Ambassador Club, luxurious, with its clientele of royalty and the rich, lost its man-

Norman Armitage, career diplomat, now Ambassador to Chile, named by President Roosevelt to Argentina. He will succeed Alexander W. Weddell, who has been appointed Ambassador to Spain.

## Call For World Faith And Prayer

MR. CHAMBERLAIN stressed the need for world-wide faith and prayer when he addressed the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland in Edinburgh recently.

Describing himself as "a man who has been striving night and day with all his might and main, in spite of many discouragements, to keep the peace of Europe," Mr. Chamberlain said that he had sought to do something more—"to renew that fear of the dangers of war and that sense of insecurity which to-day is oppressing the hearts of millions of the people."

He could not say with how much satisfaction he had read the churches call to prayer.

### THEIR DAILY PRAYER

"We recognise," he said, "that the troubles of to-day cannot be cured by arms of men. We have to go further and deeper than that, and I have no doubt that there will be a wide response to your call for prayer."

"I get a great many letters in these days; they come to my wife."

At this point the audience cheered Mrs. Chamberlain, who was seated in the throne gallery.

Continuing, the Premier said that the letters were from people of many different creeds, even of different races, and they told of daily prayer for the success of their efforts for peace.

### THE ULTIMATE POWER

Faith was the one thing common to all religions. It constituted a

spiritual force which could not be measured in physical terms.

There was the task for the Church to mobilise that faith with the spiritual force and to keep clear before the people the fundamental principles which must govern human relations.

"If they (the churches) do that," said the Premier, "there may well be the ultimate power which will eventually lead the nations and their rulers to try to be good neighbours."

Before the Assembly opened Mr. Chamberlain drove in State with the Lord High Commissioner, Sir John Gilmour, from the Palace of Holyrood House to the Assembly House through cheering crowds.

### Refugees Join The Salvation Army

Czech refugees who are staying in Margate heard the local Salvation Army band playing in the streets. They could not speak English and the Salvationists could not speak German.

But since then hundreds of refugees have regularly attended the Salvation Army services. A special officer of the Army, who can speak German, is to be posted to Margate.

An official of the Army said: "Some of the Czechs have visited our headquarters in Prague, and knew about our work. But most of them were attracted here by the band."

### Burma-China Railway

London. The railway from Kunming to Burma was the subject of a question in the House of Commons recently.

Mr. A. Wilson asked the Prime Minister whether he is aware that the necessary earthwork for the railway from Kunming towards the Burma frontier for some miles beyond Kunming is already complete; and whether he can state to what point it is intended to carry it and when the Chinese Government expect to have trains running?

The Prime Minister: My Noble Friend is informed that embankment work in the direction stated is proceeding. He has received no communication from the Chinese Government in regard to their intentions in the matters referred to in the second and third parts of the question.

### Bees' Life Hard In Canada

Wausau, Wis. Bees that go into the honey making business in Canada get a tough break in life. Canadian apiculturists have found it is cheaper to destroy their swarms at the end of each honey gathering season, replacing them each year with new swarms from California, than it is to feed the insects artificially during the winter months.

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Three Britons, a millionaire, an engineer and a pilot, have produced what they claim is the simplest warplane ever invented.

This plane, on its first public demonstration recently dived at 450 m.p.h. over Heston Airport, then roared round the flying ground doing the tightest turns ever done by a high-speed monoplane.

The three men are, millionaire Mr. Francis Francis, who has spent many thousands of pounds perfecting the machine. Mr. James Martin, who designed and built it, and fifty-year-old Valentine Baker, famous flying instructor until he became too old for the job.

They claim that the Martin-Baker fighter, built after seven years' research, is so simple in construction that unskilled workmen could build parts all over the country for assembly at a central factory.

Pilot Baker pushed the 1,000 horse-power nose of the fighter vertically down 10,000 feet over the airport, and screamed it earthwards.

A man may apply to be placed in the register of conscientious objectors if he conscientiously objects.

A. To be registered in the military training register; B. To undergoing military training; or

C. To performing competent duties.

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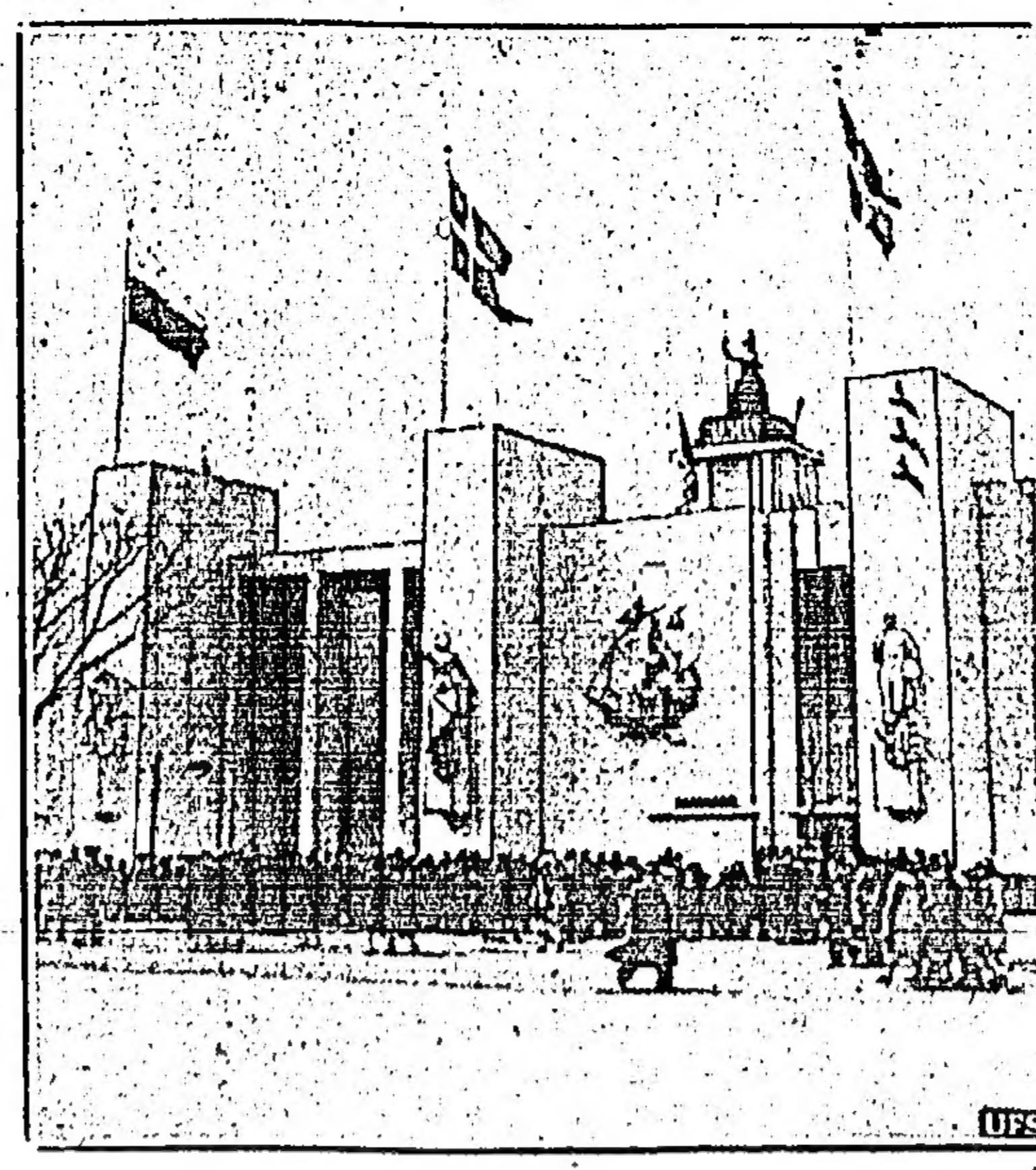
It's when children start to shoot up suddenly that they need your special attention. Children who are growing fast often tire easily, get pale, listless and do poorly at school.

Design Martin said: "It's the simplest thing ever built. I can take a walk off for twenty minutes with a spanner. I can take a gun out of the wing in one minute."

And test pilot Baker, grinning slyly as he tossed his helmet to a mechanic, said: "Had to ease her down to 300 m.p.h. to pull out of the dive. The clock only goes up to 400 m.p.h., and the needle was hard against the stop."

The fighter is now being experimented with by the Air Ministry.

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View of the Danish Pavilion opened at the New York Fair by Crown Prince Frederik and Crown Princess Ingrid of Denmark. Structure fronts Court of Peace at head of Constitutional Mall.

## Conscription: £5 For Not Registering

MEN at Home between the ages of 20 and 21 who had to register from June 3, under the military training scheme, went to their nearest labour exchanges at different hours, according to the first letter of their surnames, as follows:

- A. between 1.30 and 2 p.m.
- B. to C. between 2 and 3.
- C. to D. between 3 and 4.
- D. to E. between 4 and 5.
- E. to F. between 5 and 6.
- F. to G. between 6 and 7.
- G. to H. between 7 and 8.

W. to Z. between 8 and 8.30.

This was done to spread out the work of registration and to avoid delay as far as possible.

Men who wish to postpone their liability to be called up will fill in a form supplied either at the time of registration or within 14 days.

In cases where postponement is sought on grounds of hardship or not.

"Anyone who failed to register was liable to a fine of £5 and was released automatically when discovered, even if he has by that time reached the age of 21.

Men reaching the age of 20 after June 3 will not be required to register until about a year hence.

### 300 COMMITTEES TO HEAR CLAIMS

They will be liable at any time in the 12 months following their registration to be called up for their six months' training.

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### BOARD OF FIVE DOCTORS

Medical examination of men registered began on Thursday, June 8. Individual notices were served requiring men to attend before a medical board of five doctors. At least two clear days' notice was given.

Men were called up in order of date of birth, starting with the eldest, subject to any variation that may be necessary on industrial or other grounds.

At least 14 days will be allowed for men to make their arrangements before going to their depot for training.

The first group will receive calling up notices on or about Saturday, July 1, requiring them to report to their unit's fortnight later. Subsequent groups will be called up for training at intervals of two months.

### CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS

Agricultural workers, men engaged in the fishing industry and anthracite miners will not be called up until November.

A conscientious objector had to attend to register with the others, but he might apply to be placed on the register of conscientious objectors instead of on the military training register.

He will be required to make application within 14 days to have his case considered by a tribunal.

Failure to make such application within the prescribed time renders it impossible to have his name transferred to the military training register.

A man may apply to be placed in the register of conscientious objectors if he conscientiously objects.

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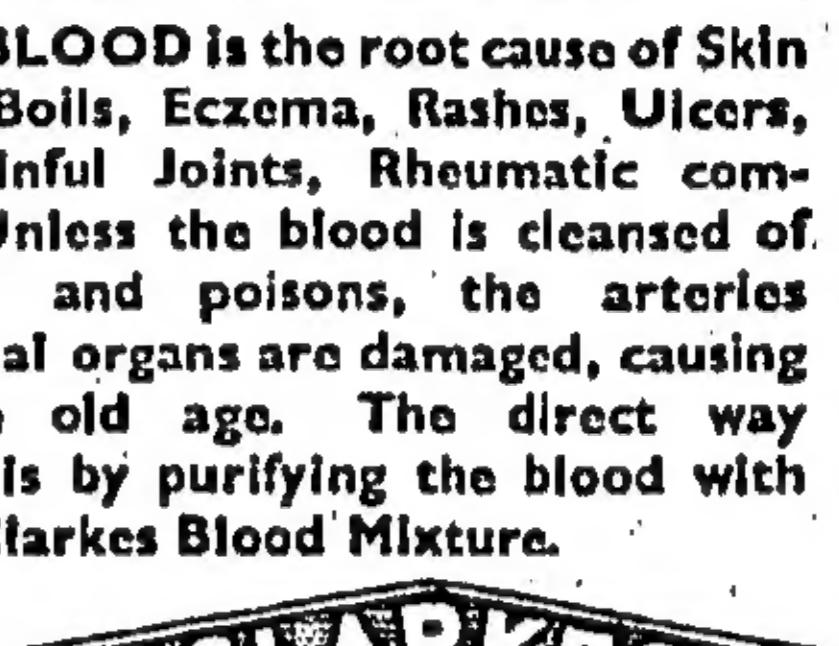
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### SECTION FOUR:

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Snapshots taken by children under fourteen years.

1st. \$15. 2nd. \$10. 3rd. \$5.

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The following rules will govern the competition:

1. The competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
2. No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
3. The prizes will be awarded to the competitors who are adjudged to be the best photographs in each section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be supplied during the period of the competition, and which must be pasted on back of entry.
4. The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved by the competition committee.
5. All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already exhibited in other competitions are ineligible.
6. No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.
7. All entries to be either black, white, or sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photographs are ineligible.
8. Entries submitted in sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
9. No picture to enter in more than one section.
10. Mounts to be only white or black, and except in the Children's section, must be of one of the following sizes: 10x12, 10x20.
11. No correspondence will be entered in connection with the competition.
12. Entries in the Children's section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, counter-signed by a parent or guardian.
13. Entries of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
14. The decisions of the judges shall be final.
15. At the conclusion of the competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven days.

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#### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, June 8.

	Opening	Closing
July	9.24/24	9.30/30
Oct.	8.38/38	8.39/39
Dec.	8.18/17	8.16/16
Jan.	8.09/09	8.09 N
Mar.	8.01b/02a	8.03/03
May	8.00/00	8.00/00
Spot		10.00 N

New York Cotton

	July	Sept.	Dec.
10.37b/45a	10.40/40		
10.48b/51a	10.47b/49a		
10.50b/52a	10.50 N		
10.67/57	10.53 N		
Total sales for the day:	470 tons.		

Chicago Wheat

	July	Sept.	Dec.
75b/75c	75b/75c		
75b/75c	75b/75c		
77	77	76c	

Wednesday's Sales: 14,287,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

	July	Sept.	Dec.
503/603a	51/51%		
523/621a	523/621a		

Winnipeg Wheat

	July	Sept.	Dec.
623/623a	62/62		
633/633a	623/623a		

### Artichoke Bowl Happy

Salinas, Cal.  
Monterey county, the "artichoke bowl" of the United States, is rejoicing over the prospects of an entirely new field and market for its "chokes." As a result of the inspiration of the landscape decorators of the Golden Gate International Exposition to use artichokes in laying out its gardens, an increased demand has resulted for the plants.

### ADMIRAL RETURNS

Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Commander-in-Chief of the China Squadron, returned to Hongkong yesterday evening from Shanghai in the flagship, H.M.S. Birmingham. Sir Percy Noble left Hongkong during the recent trouble at Kulangsu, Amoy, where he participated in the three-power negotiations with the Japanese authorities. Since then he has been in Shanghai.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR per cent (4%) for the six months ending 30th June, 1939 amounting to FORTY cents per share on the Fully Paid Up Shares and TEN cents per share on the Partly Paid Up Shares of the Company will be paid on TUESDAY, the 11th July, 1939, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building, 4th Floor.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from TUESDAY, the 4th July to TUESDAY, the 11th July, 1939, both days inclusive.

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

**PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.**

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rent	Upset Price
1	Inland Lot No. 6529.	North of Inland Ventris Road.	As per sale plan.	About 31,545	\$36	\$15,973
2	Rural Building Lot No. 423.	South East of Rural Building Lot No. 333, Mount Cameron Road.	As per sale plan.	About 13,100	\$150	\$1,372

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### 600,000 GREET KING AND QUEEN

(Continued from Page 1.)

ly walking burst into tumultuous cheers.

The King, looking bronzed though a little tired, accompanied by the Queen, Mr. Cordell Hull, and the British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, stepped onto the platform and walked slowly through a double row of troops to the reception room, where President Roosevelt was waiting to welcome him.

There was no bowing or curtsying, but just friendly greetings. The President, smiling cordially, grasped the King's hand, and then Sir Ronald Lindsay introduced Mrs. Roosevelt to the Queen, after which the whole of the United States Cabinet and a number of very high army, navy and marine officers were presented.

The King wore the full dress uniform of an Admiral and the Queen was dressed in steel grey. Mrs. Roosevelt wore azure blue.

The party then entered cars to take them on the two-mile processional route to the White House. The guard of honour stood at attention as the band played "God Save the King" and the "Star-Spangled Banner," while the King stood at the salute.

The King sat on the President's right hand in the first car of the long procession, and the Queen sat on Mrs. Roosevelt's left hand.

#### Wild Enthusiasm

A huge crowd cheered wildly as the first car started, and the second car halted for a moment for the benefit of photographers who cheered loudly in appreciation of the Queen's courtesy.

It was intensely hot as the royal procession drove along the Penny Avenue and the Queen opened her white parasol, while huge crowds clapped and cheered along the length of the route.

#### Flying Fortress Escort

The great "Flying Fortresses" of the United States air forces flew in formation as an aerial escort.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt first met Their Majesties in the centre of the reception room before a huge tea-table on which stood a blue bowl filled with American beauty roses.

Mr. Cordell Hull stepped forward and said: "Mr. President, I have the honour to present their Britannic Majesties."

President Roosevelt, with a broad smile, stretched out his hand and said: "How are you? I am glad to see you."

Their Majesties and the Roosevelts then briefly conversed before the presentations were made.

The King saluted repeatedly in acknowledgement along the cheering route to the White House, which Their Majesties reached 14 minutes ahead of schedule.

The Queen waved from beneath a parasol protecting her from the blinding sun.

At one point the procession passed between long lines of cavalry, and an officer's horse suddenly reared only ten feet from the car bearing President Roosevelt and the King. Spectators screamed and scrambled for safety. No one was injured, and the King apparently did not notice the incident.

#### Shirt Sleeved Onlookers

The crowd lining the two-mile route was estimated at 600,000, controlled by some 6,000 men of the defence forces as well as the police. Thousands of the crowd were in shirt sleeves with their heads protected from the fierce rays of the sun by newspapers.

#### Investiture On Station

It is revealed that the King held what is believed to be the first investiture carried out by a British sovereign on foreign soil.

As the train sped to Washington, the King conferred a Knighthood on his acting private secretary, Alan Frederick Lascelles, and the Insignia of the Royal Victoria Order on the press liaison officer, Mr. George Frederick Stewart, both of whom figured in the Birthday Honours list.

When Their Majesties arrived at Washington they were welcomed with a wild burst of enthusiasm, such as is normally reserved for the inauguration of new Presidents.

Immediately after the presentations, the royal and presidential parties emerged from the reception room and stood beneath the portico of the station where military honours were rendered.

#### Informal Chat

Then, during the firing of a 21-gun salute in front of the station, the King and the Queen and Mrs. Roosevelt enjoyed their first informal chat, talking freely while they smiled.

The King was momentarily "sidetracked" by a group of people as President Roosevelt entered the car. Officials fussed around and smoothed down cushions, and at least two minutes elapsed before someone realised that the King should have followed the President.

From the very commencement of the procession, the crowd began to cheer itself hoarse. The Queen, perhaps, raised the greatest enthusiasm for her perfect pose during the whole of the drive, and she captured Washington's heart.

#### British Gown

Mrs. Roosevelt, despite the intense heat, fulfilled her promise to wear a dress of azure blue sent to her by British wool-growers.

People perched on every corner of every building, statue and fountain, and all cheered madly.

Ahead of the procession went motor-cycle police and light army tanks which led the way through unbroken ranks of soldiers, sailors and marines standing stiffly to the salute.

Time and again the King and Mr. Roosevelt engaged in animated talk. Mrs. Roosevelt was bareheaded, her silk hat lying at her feet, and he frequently laughed heartily.

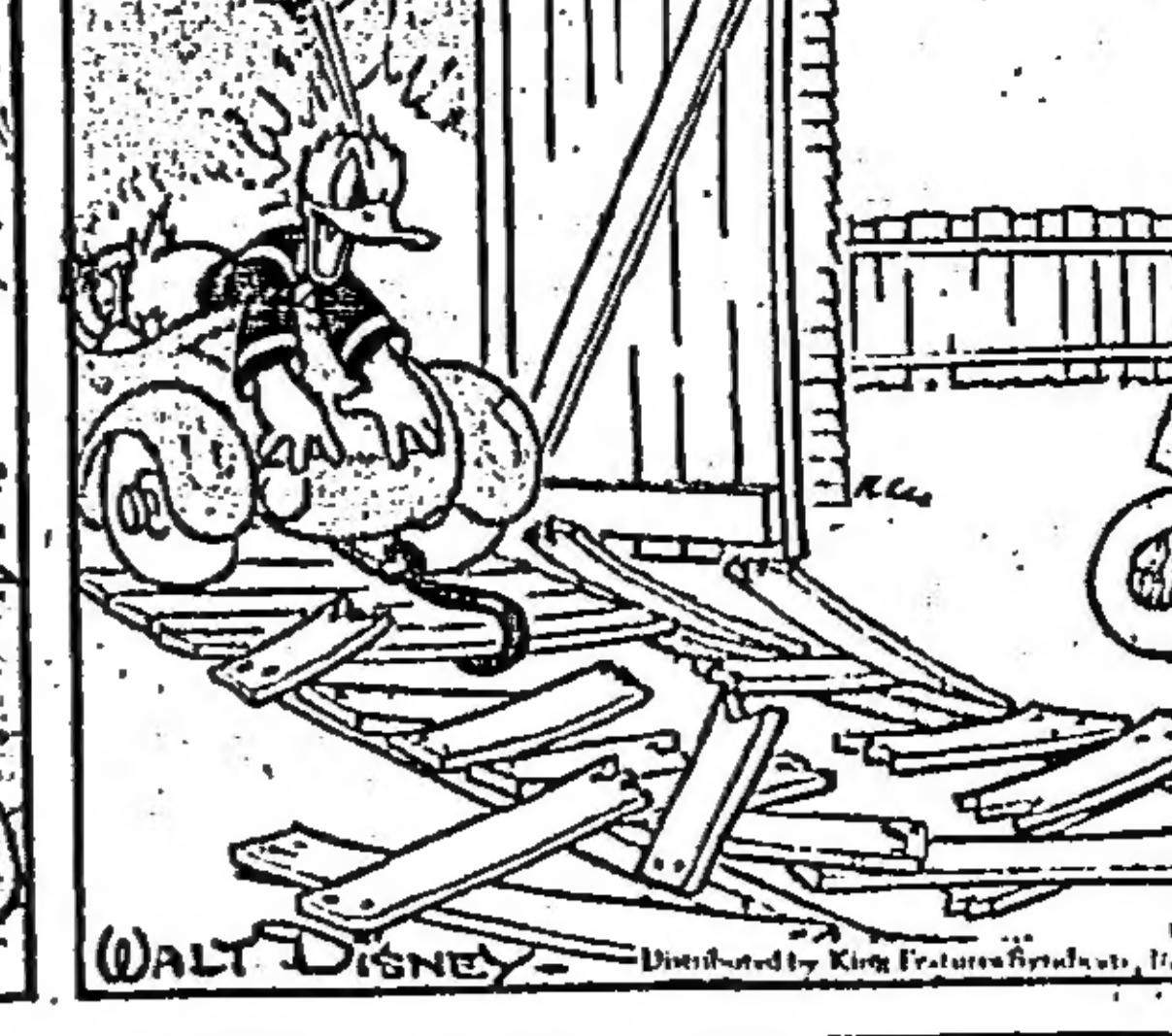
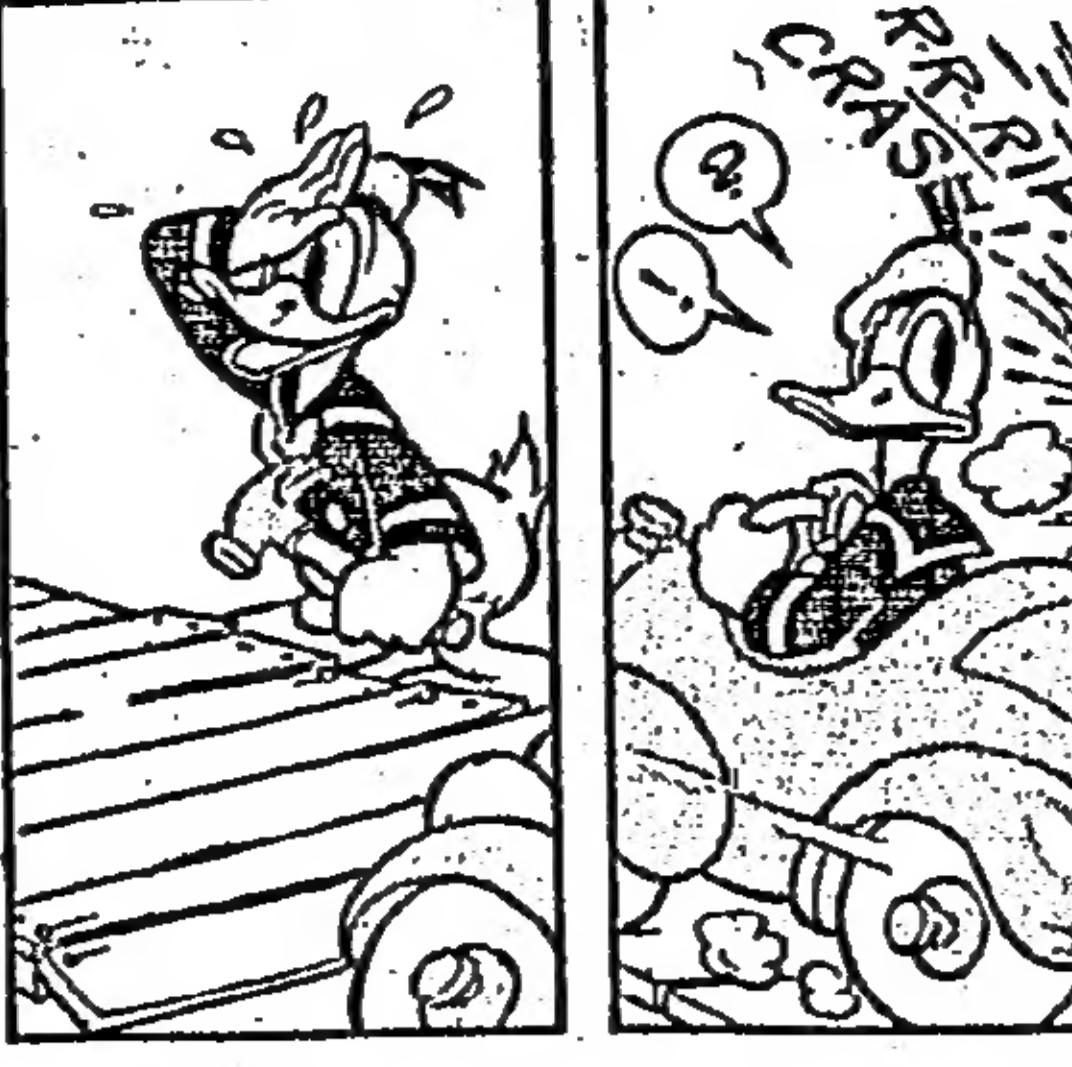
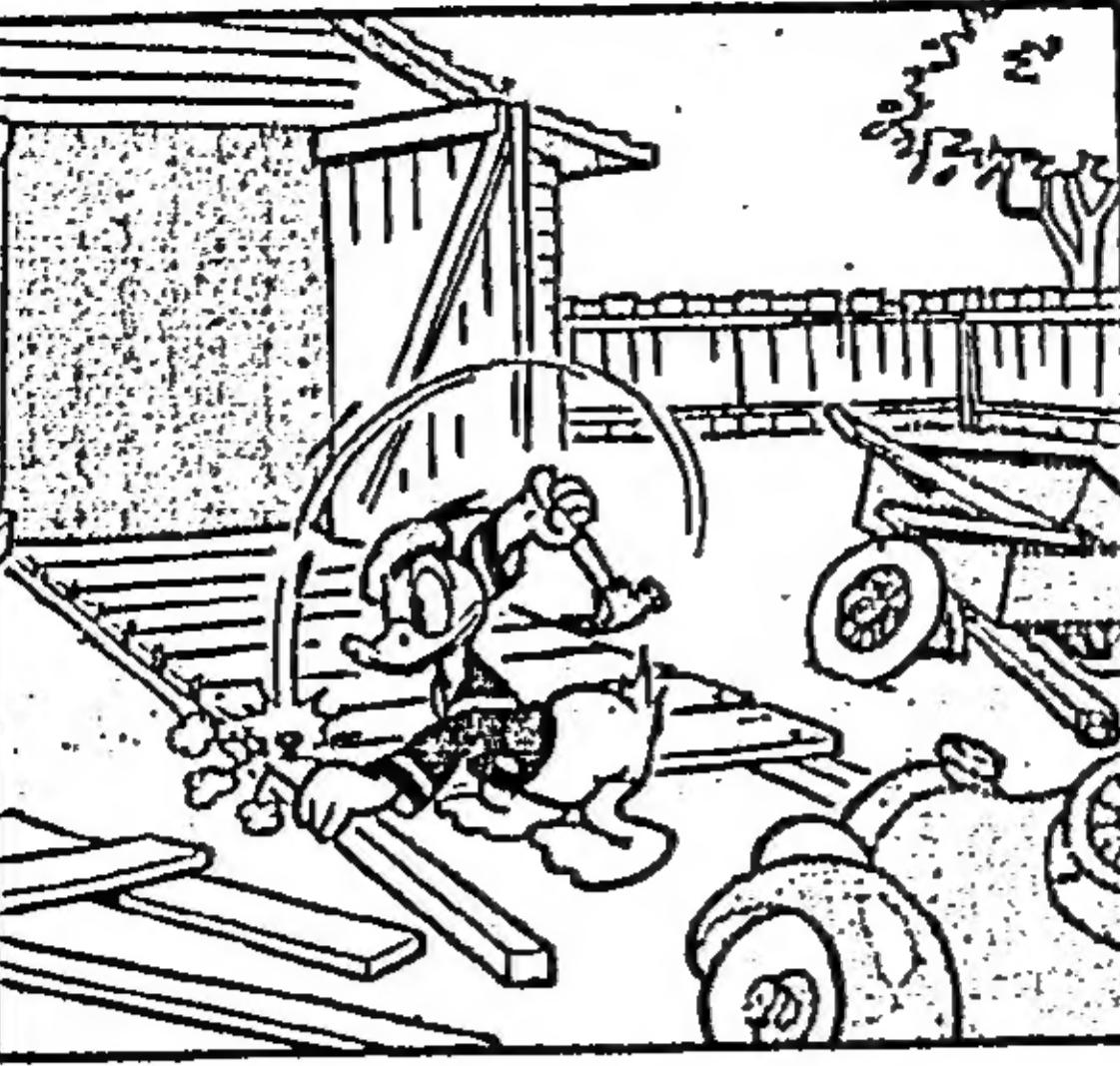
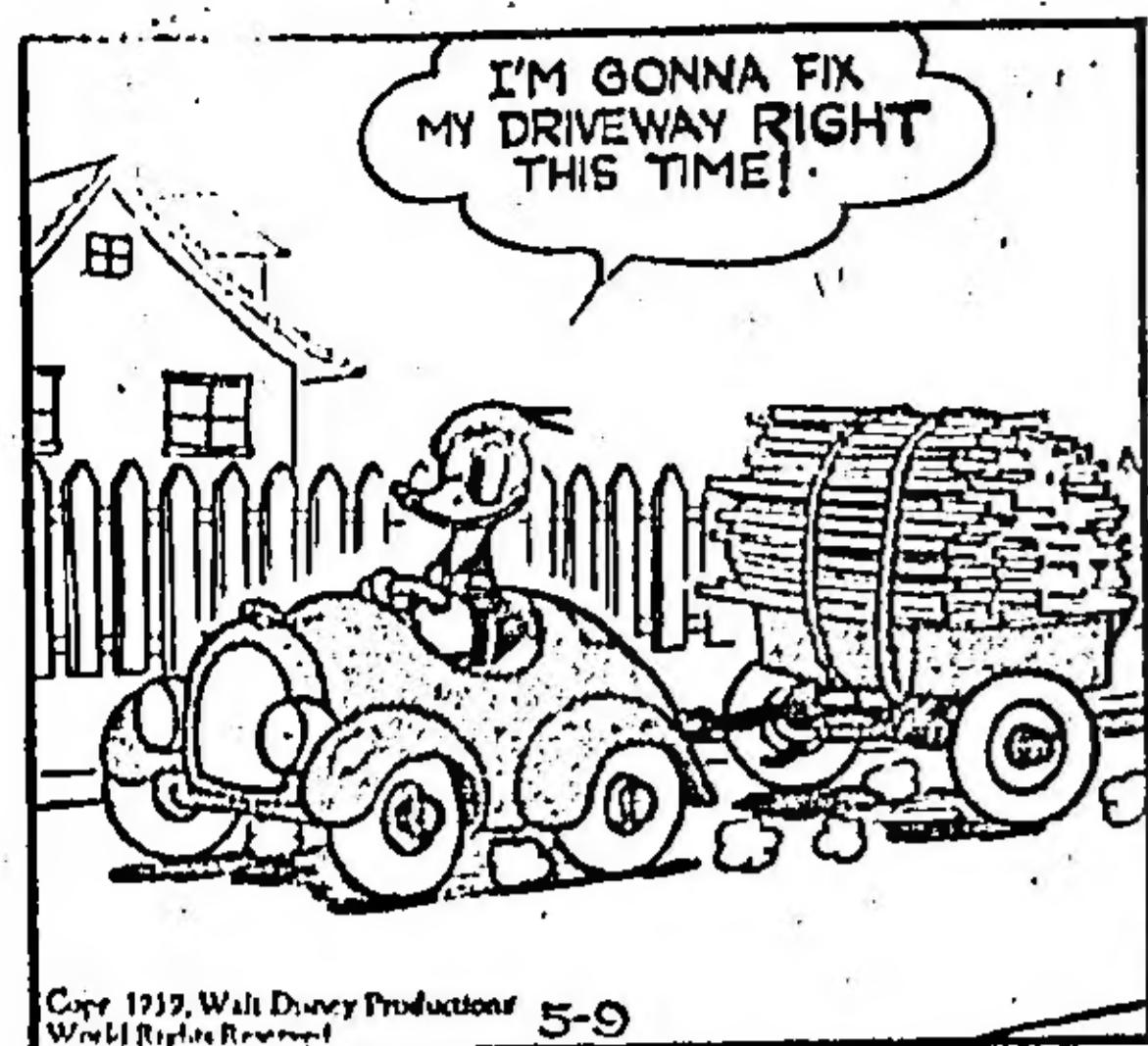
Washington crowds rarely cheer, and old observers of many State occasions described the plaudits as unprecedented.—Reuter.

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Mutiny among the crew of a Chinese cargo junk has been reported by a loyal member who was thrown overboard but was rescued and returned to the Colony on Wednesday.

The man, Lau Tol, said the junk, No. T2234H, sailed from Shaukiwan harbour for San Mei Chinese territory, on May 18, with a cargo of 300 tons of kerosene, 10 sacks of fertilizer, 20 boxes of cloth and other sundry goods on board. Together with him were six other men.

When the junk was about six miles south-east of Wugian Island on May 18, said Lau, a member of the crew, Lo Sam, apparently the leader, and four others mutinied. Lau and another, Iok, Chau Lau-yik, 29, were bound with ropes and thrown overboard, and the mutineers sailed away with the junk and cargo.

Lau was not very securely bound and managed to free himself after a struggle. He was later picked up by a passing junk, but no trace of Chau could be seen. The total value of the stolen cargo was \$780. The junk was later recovered by the Police and is now lying in Yaumati harbour.

## Piracy Reported

Pirates waylaid a cargo junk, No. T2234H, four miles east of Lamma Island in Chinese waters on Wednesday, and robbed it of cargo valued at \$2,650, besides money and property belonging to members of the crew.

A report of the incident was made to the Police yesterday by Wong San-mui, 37, the junk master. He told the Police he left Yiu Ping with a crew of seven, four cargo owners as passengers, and cargo comprising 651 tons of wood-oil valued at \$2,500, and 550 piculs of potatoes, worth \$350.

All went well until Lamma Island was neared. About 5 p.m. on Wednesday, a large junk, containing about 20 men, approached and fired four shots at the trading vessel, forcing Wong to heave-to.

Eight of the pirates boarded the vessel. Six were armed with rifles and the other two with rifles. They searched the junk, and took clothing, worth \$10, and \$150 Chinese currency from those on board. They forced Wong, his crew and passengers into a hold, and then proceeded to ransack the cargo.

Wong managed to release himself and the others some three hours later, but found that the pirates had fled, together with the cargo.

Two Envoys  
Johnson And Cosme  
Due In Chungking

Chungking, June 8. The American Ambassador, Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, will leave Kunming on Saturday by motor car, accompanied by Major James M. McHugh, naval attaché.

Mr. Johnson was greeted at the airport on his arrival on Tuesday from Hanoi by provincial representatives and local American consular officers.

The Ambassador made a courtesy call on General Lung Yun, Governor of Szechuan, to-day and he will be guest of honour at a reception to-morrow.

Meanwhile the French Ambassador, M. Henri Cosme, is scheduled to arrive in Haliphong to-day, according to Embassy officials, and will fly direct to Chungking.

Local circles are speculating on the cause of the French Ambassador's sudden return to Chungking, as he had originally intended to stay in Shanghai until September. Embassy officials deny any knowledge, although they admit the suddenness of the return.—United Press.

## MILITARY WEDDING

Captain C. R. Boxer Marries  
Miss U. N. A. Tulloh

Captain Charles Ralph Boxer and Miss Ursula Norah Anstice Tulloh were married at St. John's Cathedral yesterday evening.

The Rev. Dean Wilson officiated at the ceremony.

The bride, who is the only daughter of the late Lt. Colonel G. S. Tulloh, of the Gloucestershire Regiment, and Mrs. Tulloh, was given away by Mr. H. J. Armstrong. The bridegroom is the youngest son of the late Colonel H. Boxer and Mrs. Boxer.

## Bridal Gown

The bride wore an oyster French crepe wedding gown, designed by Diana. It was cut on princess lines with long tight fitting sleeves, heart shaped neck lines and a long train. Her full length tulle veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a sheaf of white gladioli and roses.

Attending the bride were Rosemary Prior and Susan Wilson who wore Kate Greenaway dresses in pale blue and pale pink with lace borders. They carried Victorian posies of pink and blue blossoms.

The duchess of best man were undertaken by Major S. Hopkinson. Appropriate music was rendered on the organ by Mr. J. R. M. Smith.

The wedding reception was held at No. 1, May Road, the residence of Colonel and Mrs. G. Grimstade.

On leaving for the honeymoon which is being spent in Japan, Mrs. Boxer wore a white and blue suit set off with white accessories.

King's Birthday  
Trooping Of  
The Colours  
In London

London, June 8. King's birthday was officially celebrated in London with the centuries-old ceremony of Trooping the Colour on the Horse Guards Parade.

Over 1,500 officers and men of the Brigade of Guards were on parade, or otherwise participated in the wonderful pageant. In which the traditional movements were carried out with astonishing precision, to the impressive accompaniment of slow and quick march music played by the massed bands of the Guards regiment.

The Duke of Gloucester, in the uniform of Colonel of the Scots Guards, deputised in the King's absence. The Duke of Kent accompanied his brother.

Buzz and excitement was caused by the arrival of Queen Mary, who was greeted with exceptional warmth and affection by everybody. The little Princess, Margaret Rose, accompanied Queen Mary, Princess Elizabeth being absent owing to a slight cold.

Her Majesty, with other members of Royalty and General Gamelin, French Commander-in-Chief, watched the glittering military cavalcade from the balcony.—Reuters.

## Queen Mary Popular

London, June 8. Queen Mary made her third outing since her accident, when she attended the ceremony. Many people waited for hours outside Marlborough House to greet her as she left.—Reuters Bulletin.

## RECENT INCIDENTS

Japanese Paper Blames  
British Sentiment

Tokyo, June 8. Commenting on the recent Anglo-Japanese situation, the Asahi Shimbun says that "unpleasant incidents" recently cropped up one after another between the two countries.

The paper regards the Luchong Mill incidents in Shanghai as reflecting the anti-Japanese sentiments among British nationals.

Referring to the Tientsin situation and the reported detention of British military officers by Japanese gendarmes at Kalgan, the paper asserts that the recent frequent frictions between the two countries have been caused by the British attitude to assist the Kuomintang Government.

The paper predicts that Britain will now endeavour to exert increasing pressure against Japan by enlisting co-operation from the United States.—Dow.

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## 50 YEARS AGO

June 9, 1889. Some one asked for an explanation of the feeling against Jews in Vienna. A response, evidently highly satisfactory to the author, came in this form: "There are 402 bureaux de change, of which only two are in the hands of Christians."

A French sailor named Perrier was brought before Mr. Pollock yesterday on a charge of having been as full as he could hold the previous night. His excuse had the charm of novelty. He said his shoes were so tight that he couldn't walk. His Worship opined that the tightness was of another description, and made it \$2.

The most recent recruit to the ranks of the English "lady-traders" is Mrs. Stuart Menzies, who has gone into millinery and dressmaking under the name de commerce of "Maribel." Mrs. Cooper Onley is "Maribel," wife of Mme. Le Breton is "Mme. Lili," and there is also a florist, a carymancer, a furniture dealer, whose advertised names half-conceal the identity of well-known ladies in society who have taken up trade.

It is reported that the service would be instituted in 1943.—Reuters.

## China Clipper Arrives

The Pan American Airways China Clipper arrived in Hongkong from Manila shortly after 2 p.m. yesterday with mails and the following passengers:

Mr. Anthony Alsobrook, the Manila representative for the American drug firm of Frederick Stearns Co. making a business trip to Hongkong.

Mr. Rudolf Pasche, and Carmen Pasche. Mr. Pasche is the Master Mechanic for the North Camarines Mining Co. of the Philippines and he and Mrs. Pasche are on a pleasure trip to Hongkong.

Mr. Shigeoishi Obata, connected with the Imperial Japanese Government.

Rev. Sydney Waddington, Episcopal Minister in Baguio, on a vacation trip to Hongkong.

Her Claus von Mittelstaedt is a mine accountant and has come to Hongkong for business reasons.

Mr. Ng Gang-chin, who hurried to Hongkong to attend the funeral of a relative.

## London Mails

Imperial Airways' Dolphinarus arrived at Kai Tak shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday with mails from Europe and Australia. There was one passenger aboard.

## AIR SERVICES

Arrivals and Departures  
Of Planes

## Outward

For London, Australia and British colonies: Imperial Airways 7 a.m. June 13. Imperial Airways 7 a.m. June 16.

For Chungking, Siam etc: Eurasia C.N.A.C. services indefinite.

For U.S.A., via Manila and Guam.

For Pan-American Honolulu Clipper 8.30 a.m. June 15.

For France, via Hanoi: Air France 6.30 a.m. June 10.

Inward

Froh London and British colonies: Imperial Airways 5 p.m. June 12. Imperial Airways 5 p.m. June 15.

From U.S.A., via Guam, and Manila: Pan-American Honolulu Clipper 12 noon, June 8.

From Chungking, Yunnanfu, Kwel-lin: C.N.A.C. and Eurasia services indefinite.

From France, via Hanoi: Air France 1 p.m. June 14.

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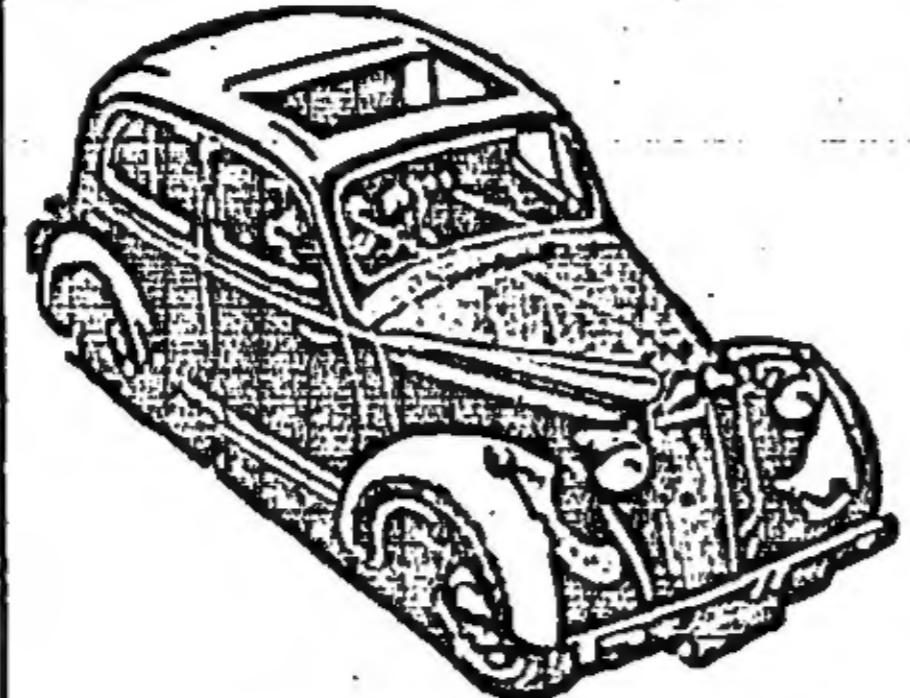
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### DEATH

LEON.—Florinda Maria Leon at her  
residence, 8 Austin Avenue,  
Kowloon, at 2.45 a.m. on June 9,  
1939, after an illness, aged 66.  
Funeral will pass the Monument  
at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Shanghai,  
Manila and Macao papers please  
copy). (No flowers by request).

### The Hongkong Telegraph.

Wyndham St., Hongkong  
Phone 26615  
June 9, 1939.

### Currency

ANY JAPANESE hopes that the  
fall in rate of the Chinese dollar  
presaged a currency collapse appear  
to have been doomed by the revelation  
that the Stabilisation Fund has  
deliberately allowed the rate to fall  
to a better economic level and will  
re-enter the market possibly to-day.

Actually, the Chinese dollar has  
for some time shown a stability which  
in the present state of affairs is little  
short of astounding and in the un-  
official markets in both Shanghai and  
Hongkong has been freely quoted at  
a premium over the Japanese yen.

For some months after the out-  
break of war even the normal rate  
of 14 pence was held without great  
difficulty until the Japanese attempts  
to force into circulation the notes of  
their puppet Reserve Bank in North  
China compelled the Chinese Govern-  
ment to institute some restriction on  
exchange. Thereafter, the market  
quotations for the Chinese dollar  
steadily slumped to just over eight-  
pence, but at that point the currency  
was freely convertible into  
foreign exchange.

Exactly what is the state of the  
Chinese trade balance it is now  
almost impossible to say. Statistics  
for the first quarter of 1939 indicate  
that the adverse balance is some-  
where between £7,000,000 and  
£9,000,000, but these figures need not  
be taken too seriously, for so much  
trade now passes through channels  
which scarcely fall within the pur-  
view of the statistician.

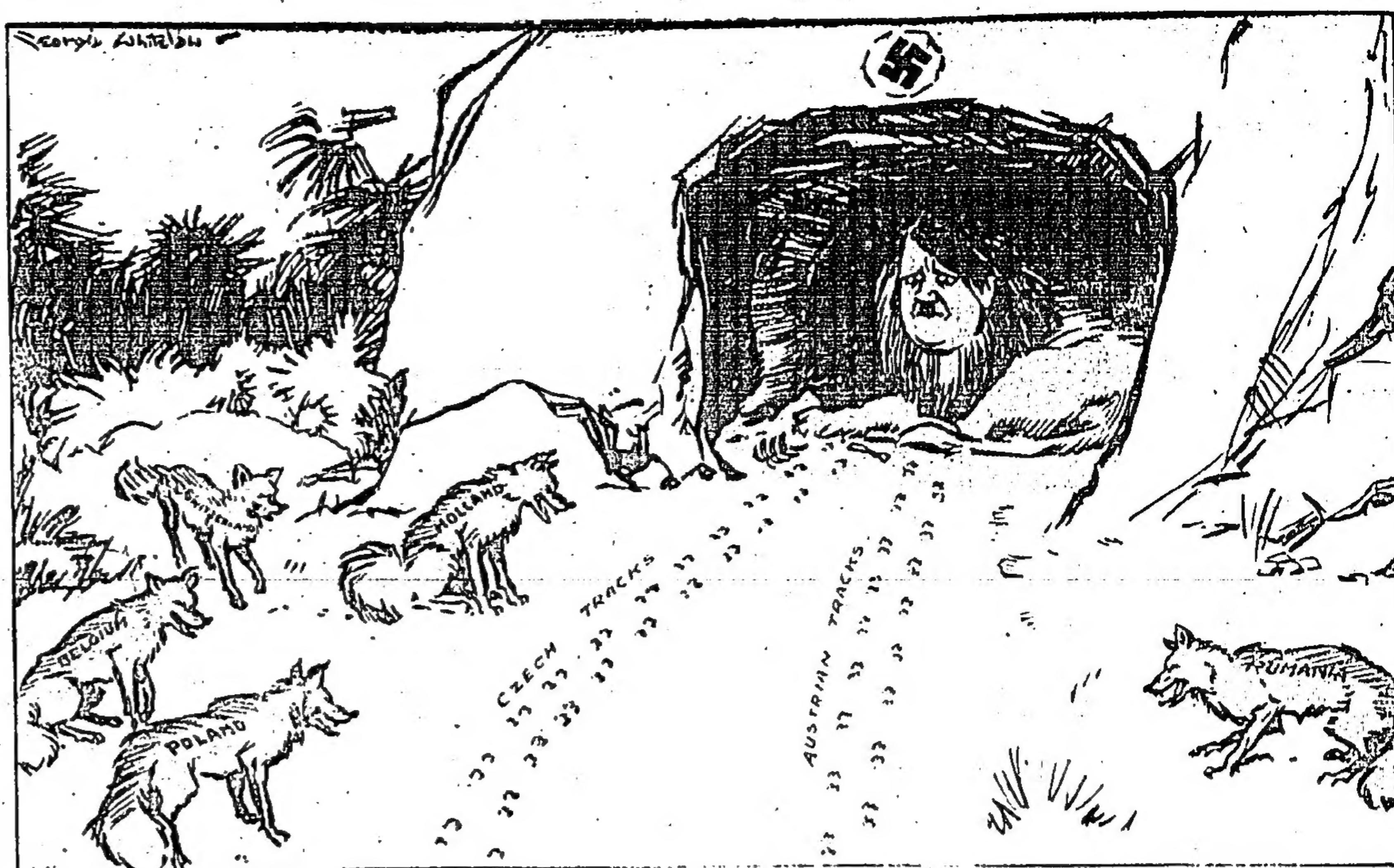
The sterling resources of the  
Stabilisation Fund have been  
provided by the two Chinese  
Government banks and two Hong-  
kong British banks, the establish-  
ment of the fund being made  
possible by the indispensable financial  
guarantee of the British Government.

To lend its credit in this way is,  
indeed, the very least that the  
Government could do. British  
financial interests in China far  
outweigh those of any other Power,  
and indeed those of all other  
countries together. Though Britain's  
trade with China is only a small  
proportion of the motherland's total  
trade, it is by no means insignificant.

The total was £10,491,000 last year  
and £14,101,000 in 1937 before the  
country was ravaged by Japan. And  
in the aggregate British capital in  
China certainly exceeded £200

millions and may be £300 millions.

China, therefore, is almost a mem-  
ber of the sterling bloc and any  
threat to the Chinese dollar from the  
establishment of the yuan can now  
have little importance. The Japanese  
can have no legitimate cause for  
complaint. One could wish that the  
opposite were true. Not merely our  
own interests, but common decency  
also demand that Britain should con-  
tinue to support China against the  
wanton and brutal aggression of  
Japan. Financial aid should not be  
allowed to rest until Britain has done  
its utmost to help China defend  
itself (and incidentally our own  
interests) against the menace of  
Japanese domination.



The FOXES: "Strange! There are no tracks leading out!"

—With acknowledgments to Aesop's Fables.

## What Stalin's children are taught at school

A NY day Stalin's two  
children can be seen  
rushing helter-skelter  
through the Kremlin gates  
on their way to school.

The Tartar towers look down  
on them, but the children do not  
bother to return their stare. The  
barbaric beauty of these old  
towers and all the secrets they  
could tell are just part of their  
daily background.

Svetlana, the youngest, is a  
pretty vivacious little girl, about  
ten years old, and intelligent  
above the average. She takes  
her school work seriously. Be-  
fore the last quarterly examina-  
tions she was in bed with a chill.  
This cost her her place as head  
of her form. She was disgusted  
with her luck.

### Boy Resembles

### His Father

Her brother Vassily, about  
five years her senior, has his  
father's great shaggy eyebrows.  
So far he has shown no particu-  
lar ability.

It is prophesied that when he  
leaves school he will fade into  
the background and do a modest  
job somewhere or other, as his  
older brother now does. Much  
more is expected from Svetlana.

Nothing in all Russia can tell  
you more about the kind of so-  
ciety that is being built there  
than to follow those children to  
school.

There is nothing in the build-  
ing and equipment of the school  
they attend to distinguish it  
from a hundred others. It is  
bright and airy, has up-to-date  
science laboratories and an ex-  
cellent gymnasium.

### His Meals

In the middle of the day a hot  
meal is served to all the pupils.  
Those whose parents can afford  
it pay a little for this service,  
the poorer children receive the  
meal free. There is nothing  
unusual in that. You will find  
the same sort of thing in every  
new Soviet school.

But where this one scores is  
in having as its principal one of  
Russia's wisest old teachers—a  
man more than sixty years old,  
but still vigorous.

He has seen and survived  
much. What he had to say  
about education was so sensible  
that I wondered how he had  
fared during the earlier revolution-  
ary years. I ventured to ask him.  
His eyes twinkled.

### In His Pupils'

### Interests

As a good Bolshevik, he said,  
he had made some show of out-  
wardly conforming to each pass-  
ing experiment in turn. But as  
a responsible educationist, he  
added, he had stuck as much as  
he dared to the methods which  
he knew to be in the best inter-  
ests of his pupils.

I recalled how, in 1932, I  
watched five small boys working

together on the same sum. One  
was doing the work. The other  
four were blissfully cribbing. It  
was supposed to be bad for their  
character to work separately. At  
that time most of the schools  
were one long glorious non-stop  
political demonstration.

These days are over. The  
Russian classroom is now a place  
where serious individual tuition  
is given on much the same lines  
as in any well run British  
secondary school.

There are regular examinations.  
Rewards are given for  
especially good work. Ways are  
found of making troublesome  
children feel disgraced.

### Classmates'

### Black-List

A favourite device is to ask  
their classmates to black-list  
them. This usually means stick-  
ing their names up on a promi-  
nent part of the wall. Some-

times a caricature is tacked on.  
Apparently this works wonders  
in maintaining order and a rea-  
sonable amount of discipline.

In 1930, 1932, and again this  
year I looked over hundreds of  
essays written by children in  
schools widely scattered all over  
the Soviet Union.

Formerly there was a deadly  
monotony about the content  
matter. What you read in Mos-  
cow you re-read in Tiflis,  
Kharkov, and Baku. The Five-  
Year Plan, collectivisation in  
agriculture, the might of the  
Red Army, the sins of the kulaks  
—it was always the same bald  
reproduction of current political  
events.

### Well-Stocked

### Libraries

Now every essay begins to  
have its own individual flavour.  
They are writing about Chekhov,  
Pushkin, and Tolstoy; of Dick-  
ens and "George Washington never told  
a lie."

It serves its purpose. It  
underlines for the Russian child  
the Government's present atti-  
tude towards education. He  
must learn to do individual work,  
not depend on some one else doing  
it for him.

Stalin has most pronounced  
views on education. He is the  
terror of his more romantic  
colleagues. He has made a clean  
sweep of all the fantastic  
theories that were crippling the  
schools a few years ago. He  
insists on matter and methods that  
are thoroughly practical. He  
wants the younger generation  
that will enable them later in  
life to handle high power modern  
machinery with a technical effi-  
ciency sadly lacking among their  
elders.

### Parents Are Puzzled

In this the children are his-  
erent supporters. They are  
crazy about model airplanes and  
engines and love playing about  
with chemical and electrical ap-  
paratus. Many of their parents  
look on, bewildered by the things  
their children know.

Stalin has declared war on  
technical inefficiency. It is in  
the schoolroom that he expects  
to have his greatest victories.

## GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"What with all my charity luncheons and toas, I just  
managed to exist through last winter."

# AMERICA'S WARM WELCOME FOR KING AND QUEEN

Their Majesties the King and Queen crossed from Canada into American territory at Niagara Falls at 9.40 p.m. on Wednesday and were there greeted by Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, the British Ambassador and other officials.

Twenty minutes later the Royal party continued their train journey to Washington where the greatest excitement and interest prevails over the much-publicised visit of British Royalty to the premier city of the New World.

Plans of Mrs. Roosevelt to invite experts on social problems of America to a tea party in the White House with the King and Queen indicate that apart from the social aspect of the occasion, the contact with America will bring Their Majesties into close relation with the life and problems of the country.

## ATTACK ON DUCHESS

### Lawlor Is "Lonely-Like" Says His Pal

London, June 8. "I cannot understand what the fuss is all about," is a remark made by Ledwidge Vincent Lawlor, who was arrested in connection with a shot allegedly fired at the Duchess of Kent, according to his fellow lodger, Mike Cannon, who visited him this morning at Brixton Prison.

Cannon told a correspondent, "I went to Brixton Prison with a couple of letters for Lawlor and asked him what he wanted to be there with a gun for. Lawlor said he had no intention of shooting and it was quite an accident. He seemed to think it was quite in order having a gun as he said he had a licence. When he was in Australia he always carried a gun."

"I questioned Lawlor regarding a Communist with whom he used to be familiar, but Lawlor replied that he had nothing to do with Communists.

"I mentioned that people were talking of an Irish Republican Army connection, but Lawlor said he had nothing to do with it. In fact he hardly knew what the I.R.A. meant."

Cannon confirmed that Lawlor while working at Waterloo Bridge lost a tin box containing six £1 notes from his pocket, after which he wrote to the Bank of England thinking it would make good the loss.

"I just took him a letter from the Bank of England and also one concerning his pension from the Australian forces," said Cannon. "If you have seen him as I saw him I think you will hold the same opinion as me that he is lonely-like."—United Press.

## Another Tientsin Ultimatum

Tientsin, June 8. It is understood that as the result of yesterday morning's conference, the representatives of the Japanese authorities concerned agreed to proceed with their "original policy" in dealing with the local situation in disregard of the British counter-communication regarding the disposal of Chinese criminals allegedly arrested in the British Concession.

The Japanese authorities reportedly understand that the British communication on Tuesday was tantamount to virtual rejection of the Japanese requests including the transfer of the assassins of Mr. Cheng Hsi-keung, former Chinese customs superintendent at Tientsin and chief of the Tientsin branch of the Federal Reserve Bank.

They point out that the criminals whom the British authorities decided to extradite, were not directly connected with the Japanese requests.

As the British authorities have allegedly failed to effect co-operation with the Japanese in settling the local situation, the Japanese authorities are understood to be contemplating "independent measures."—Domei.

### Isolating Concession

Tokyo, June 8. In anticipation of possible measures to be taken by the Japanese following the alleged rupture in the negotiations with the British authorities, Japanese business men chartering the piers and godowns in the British and French Concessions in Tientsin have started removal of about 50,000 tons of goods.

The harbour facilities used by Japanese interests in the foreign concessions will be transferred to the Special Administrative District downstream from the concessions, while Japanese concerns including the Yokohama Specie Bank, the Mitsubishi Trading Company, and the Federal Reserve Bank are prepared to remove their offices from the British and French Concessions to other parts of Tientsin.

Another message from Tientsin says that the "force of circumstances" apparently means the Japanese authorities will cut off the British Concession from the outside world. The message adds that the entire Japanese colony in Tientsin is solidly upholding the decision of the Japanese authorities.—Domei.

### Further Ultimatum

Shanghai, June 8. It is authoritatively learned that the Japanese have presented a further ultimatum to the authorities in the British Concession in Tientsin and threaten to erect a barrier as well as take other steps to completely isolate the Concession unless the four Chinese allegedly involved

## OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

### War Risk Down

Tokyo, June 8. With peace and order steadily returning to the Yangtze area, Japanese insurance companies have decided to lower by about 60 per cent. the war risk rates on cargoes shipped to Yangtze ports. The new rates, effective immediately, are 12.5 sen per 100 yen on cargo aboard ships plying between Kuklukang and below, 20 sen for ports between Taiyuan (inclusive) and Kuklukang (exclusive) and 30 sen for ports between Hankow (inclusive) and Taiyuan.—Domei.

### COLONIAL POLICY

#### Home Government Plan For Improvement

London, June 8. "Great Britain achieved a triumphant success in her rule of the Dominions," declared Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in the House of Commons to-day when introducing the Colonial Office estimates.

The King smilingly thanked Mr. Hull and then Mrs. Hull said: "It is a great honour for me to meet and greet you."

The ceremony lasted seven minutes with the distinguished party spending a few moments chatting before escaping from the flood-lit platform.

Mr. MacKenzie King, the Canadian Premier, jumped off the moving train as it arrived at the station and hurried back to be on hand when the King descended. The King's two gentlemen in waiting, Lord Eldon and Earl Airlie, also jumped off the train but were prevented from reaching the King's side by troops who ignored their explanations.

Before leaving the Queen took a long look at the Falls on the Canadian side but she decided not to visit the Tunnel of the Winds below. She was chiefly engrossed in the Falls as Canadian officials pointed out other scenic points.—United Press.

### Cordial Reception

Washington, June 8. Two gigantic locomotives maintained express speed throughout the night and this morning in order to bring Their Majesties to Washington by 4 a.m. G.M.T., where President and Mrs. Roosevelt and a crowd estimated at 600,000 are awaiting them at the station. The Royal visitors will probably arrive in the midst of a sweltering heat wave.

When the King and Queen arrived on American soil Mr. Cordell Hull greeted them with the following words, "On behalf of the Government and people of the United States, I have the honour and pleasure in extending you our warmest welcome. All are delighted at your visit. The people of my country, in a most genuine spirit of cordiality, hospitality and friendliness, have every desire to make your stay a thoroughly enjoyable one."

According to the New York Herald Tribune, the King and Mr. Hull had a "serious talk" before boarding the train for Washington.—Reuter.

### Police Mobilised

New York, June 8. The biggest mobilisation of police in United States history ordered for the visit of Their Majesties here affects some 13,000 officers, constables and detectives, of whom nearly 11,000 are specials.

Weather permitting, Their Majesties will enter New York aboard the crack destroyer Warrington which is capable of 37 knots.

It is announced from Niagara Falls that the Queen will make a second broadcast before finally leaving Canada.

Every precaution has been taken for the Royal visit. Minesweepers will drag the lower New York Bay before Their Majesties cross in a destroyer from Fort Hancock, New Jersey, to Manhattan on Saturday.

To-morrow two large and three smaller coastguard cutters will be patrolling the waters near Fort Hancock and an anti-aircraft battery, complete with searchlights and sound locators, will be in position there, while hundreds of troops will search the adjacent territory.—Reuter.

### A Restful Day Planned

New York, June 8. The visit of Their Majesties to Hyde Park on Sunday is likely to be one of the most restful periods in the American tour, owing to the fact that there will be no crowds, ceremonies or banquets necessitating hurried changes of clothing to maintain the rapidly changing social schedule.

Their Majesties will linger in a rambling two-storey frame house overlooking a 1,000-acre estate on the Hudson River. Mrs. Roosevelt plans a hot dog picnic in the President's "Dream Cottage" on top of Duchess Hill.

Their Majesties, President and Mrs. Roosevelt, and 30 others will attend services at St. James Episcopal Church, Hyde Park, conducted by the Rev. Frank R. Wilson, after which they will return to the estate.

The British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, recently told the Press that Their Majesties have eaten hot dogs before, "under other circumstances and not under that name."—United Press.

In the assassination of Cheng Shikang, are handed over within two days.—Reuter.

## CHINESE DOLLAR: STABILISATION FUND STRONGER

The strengthening of the Chinese National Currency Stabilisation Fund was indicated yesterday in an authoritative statement issued to the Press concerning the slump of the Yuan. The statement pointed out that there has been no pressure on the Fund and confidence in the currency remains unshaken.

It was also disclosed that arrangements have been completed so that the Government requirements of foreign exchange for munitions and other supplies will not come on the market.

According to a Shanghai report the exchanges were firm yesterday.

Japanese reports claim that with the tightening of the blockade of the China coast nullifying the foreign trade of the Stabilisation Fund has already been reduced by £4,000,000.

*The Times* in London ridicules rumours that the Fund has lost the greater part of its sterling resources.

The following authoritative statement was issued to the S. C. M. Post yesterday:

"As is generally known, during the past weeks, there has been no pressure on the Stabilisation Fund, and confidence in the national currency remains unshaken. The Control, however, temporarily withdrew support on Wednesday to allow the exchange value of the dollar to be adjusted to a better economic level, and thereby to bring the balance of trade into equilibrium. As will be remembered, a similar step was taken during June 1938, and when the level of 8d was found it was successfully maintained for twelve months."

It is confidently believed that the new level has now been found and can be strongly held. Many goods previously imported are now being made "at home." The favourable harvest forecasted by all reports will also contribute towards reduced imports. Arrangements have been completed so that Government requirements of foreign exchange for munitions and other supplies have been taken care of and will not come onto the exchange market. Finally, the Stabilisation Fund has been strengthened and further efforts to broaden the basis of this Fund have been successful, the ability of the authorities to maintain the exchange will not be questioned.

It is further emphasised that despite the present adjustment in the exchange level, the national currency will continue to retain the confidence of the people because its free convertibility is at all times assured.

**Exchanges Firm**

Shanghai, June 8. The exchanges were firm this morning and an amount of business was done at intermediate rates between 7½d and 6½d. for sterling. From the lower level of 6½d. the market rose to 6½d. on rumours that the Control banks were selling and there was a certain amount of profit-taking.

Towards the close buyers again appeared and sterling eased to 6½d.—Reuter.

### Good Shares In Demand

Shanghai, June 8. Conditions even more hectic than those witnessed yesterday were experienced on the stock market today. The turnover reached enormous proportions and Monday's cash settlement will be the heaviest ever recorded since the abolition of foreign business.

It is again difficult to select special stocks for mention, but it is quite safe to say that the majority rose from five to 10 per cent., though profit-taking finally resulted in most gains being reduced by half.

It is interesting to note how today's purchases of stocks and shares have become the favourite method adopted for protection of capital, and that the public shows less inclination for purchase of foreign exchange. The impression is strong that \$35 for one pound sterling or \$8 for one United States dollar is not the best or cheapest form of capital protection, and that purchases of rubber shares or leading industrial counters will provide both profit and insurance.

With a superficial impression indicates that some shares may have advanced too rapidly, a careful study should be made of the in case of good rubber companies (large units with short costs) the rise in their values has by no means kept pace with the depreciation of currency and there is much leeway that should be made up.

The outstanding movements to-day were in Ewos, Intascos, Trans and Kalpings, while in rubber Anglo-Javas, Kroewocks, Swan Shares and Rubber Trusts appreciated sharply.

**Labour Conditions**

Shanghai, June 8. He was certain that the extension of government activity in this field would result in the avoidance of many industrial clashes during this critical time in the development of the Colonies, and would be a great help in bringing about improved labour conditions.

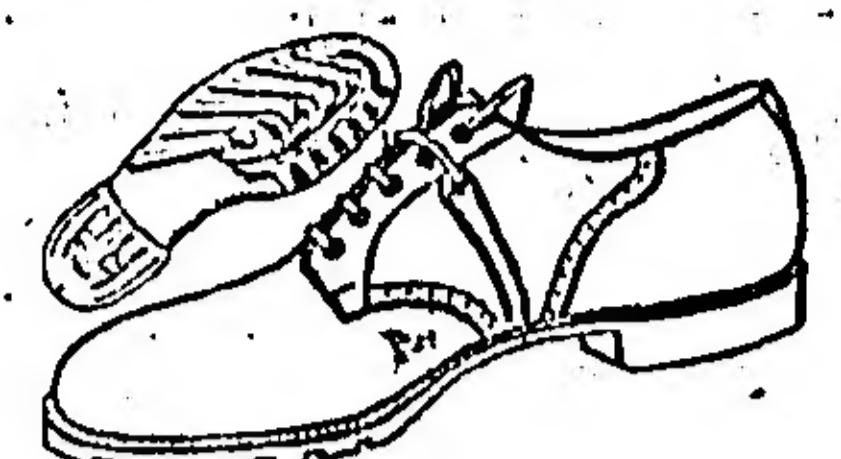
Government were anxious also to develop the intellectual capacity of the people in the Colonies to take part in the work and enjoyment of modern life. They wanted to develop a sound educational system. The object of Government was to train the people to stand a little more securely on their own feet. In Africa they were encouraging native self-government under the principles of indirect rule.

In conclusion, Mr. Macdonald said: "What we desire to teach men gradually is the wise exercise and enjoyment of freedom. That freedom which we prize so highly ourselves we seek to spread among His Majesty's subjects in whatever part of the Empire they live. So long as our administration is conducted in that spirit our work will be justified and will prosper throughout the Colonial Empire." (Cheers).—Reuter.

**Business Critical**

Shanghai, June 8. The aged relief, "San Donato Madonna," which was kept for more than 400 years in the Della Robbia family after its completion by Luca Della Robbia, has been acquired by the Toledo Museum of Art.

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TO-MORROW AT THE KING'S

# FIRST HALF OF RACE SEASON ENDS TO-MORROW

## CHIEF INTEREST ON LANTAO HANDICAP EVENT TICKETS SELLING WELL IN DOLLAR SWEEP

(By "Captain Foster")

Chief interest at to-morrow's Sixth Extra Race Meeting under the auspices of the Hongkong Jockey Club will no doubt be centred in the Lantao Handicap for "D" class China ponies over the mile course. A special dollar cash sweep is being conducted on the event and at time of writing the sale of tickets is nearing the 140,000 mark, which guarantees the first prize to be over \$63,000.

After the running of the Lantao Handicap, which is the last contest on the programme, the Hongkong Jockey Club will draw the curtain for the first half season and there will be no more flat racing until September 23. Our Australian and China "dumb friends" will evacuate from Happy Valley for their summer recess and it has been reported that some owners have already made arrangements for their racers to spend the holidays at Fanning and Macao.

While on the subject, the Macao Jockey Club has circulated a special notice to their members announcing that they have acquired the service of Dr. J. Vidaligal, a graduate of Lisbon University of Veterinary Science, and all ponies grazing in Macao will be under the care of this vet.

A most interesting feature of last Saturday's racing was Mr. Encarnacao's fine riding; he had four wins to his credit including a "hat trick" which was the first to be scored at Happy Valley this season. The honour of being champion jockey for the first half season cannot be taken from Mr. Encarnacao by any other as he is well ahead to the front with a total of 20 winning mounts. His nearest rival is Mr. Needin who has 15 wins and he is followed by Mr. Pih with nine successes.

### CONSOLATION RACES

Those "jockeys in the stand" who have "gone down the sink" may be able to get some money back to-morrow, for there are nine attractive handicap events, practically all being consolation races. The absence of several good runs and public favourites will not in any way lower the standard of racing and punters are assured of a good day's sport with the usual thrills.

History was made in the betting last Saturday when the Manly Handicap for Australian "C" class ponies was selected by the followers of the turf as the best "kill" of the penultimate meeting. The winner (Annabella) had 1,428 tickets for win, the second pony (A Great Time) carried 1,064 and Twilight Star, who finished in the ruck, was backed to the tune of 1,049 tickets. The total chances taken for a win amounted to 6,938 while for places the figure was 5,212 tickets. The two added together involved a turnover of \$10,750, which no doubt was a record. With the exception of A Great Time, barred from competing, all other entrants will be seen in action in the Wallsend Handicap and I wonder whether the betting will again be raised to a fever heat.

### 21 ENTRIES FOR NANLING H'CAP

There are 21 entries for the Nanling Handicap for China ponies, subscription griffins of this season, that have not won more than \$1,000 in stakes, but it is not to be expected that all will weigh out owing to the fact that many of the entrants are in the Hwang Ho Handicap. However, I like the chances of Magoo, National Honour and Wild Bear and I will make my final selection to-morrow.

### Rose Emily Ought To Win This

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"Andy" Wright directing operations in a practice game this week at the Kowloon Cricket Club green while other players look on. F. E. Nash is on the right background of the picture.—Staff Photographer.

### First Half Mile Race For Aussies

First saddling bell for the opening event, the Carpenteria Handicap for Australian ponies of this season, will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and it may be of interest to know that the contest is the first sprint over half a mile since the introduction of these animals from Antipodes. The ban on winners of \$500 or more has brought forward a few lame-ducks and they include Flinders River, Loquacious and Tarzan, all of whom have started only once. Southern Star did a lot of amish work during training and the mare has never appeared in public with the Kong Brothers' racing colours. With Janber and Baffin Bay out of the road, Ajax should have an easy passage to collect the first prize of \$600 stake money and with the Australian Jockey Mr. Raymond in the saddle, the combination is hard to crack. Amber II and Poconos should fill the minor positions in the frame.

### Some Speedy Ponies Among The Entries

A fine scramble will be seen in the Hwang Ho Handicap for subscription China ponies of this season that have not won more than \$1,000 in stakes, but it is not to be expected that all will weigh out owing to the fact that many of the entrants are in the Hwang Ho Handicap. However, I like the chances of Magoo, National Honour and Wild Bear and I will make my final selection to-morrow.

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### PURCHASE OF GRAZING LAND CONSIDERED

(By "Capt. Foster")

It is learned that the Hongkong Jockey Club is contemplating, or may have even started negotiations, to purchase a big piece of land in Fanling for ponies to graze.

If this is correct, I feel confident in saying that the project will be received with open arms by all owners, big or small, as it will fill a long-felt want.

There are, I know, quite a few owners and trainers who have a prejudice against turning out their ponies owing to the flies which attack the animals in the pastures. The theory of some trainers may be right, but they must not overlook the fact that where the ground is "clained" with dung, the breeding of flies increases. So the care not to allow animals to feed where they dung is a valuable and natural protection.

Though I am no naturalist, I think the grassland should be fenced into different plots so that if one plot gets stained ponies may be removed to another grazing area. This will undoubtedly lessen the persecution of flies.

### SECOND LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

The Shing Mun Handicap for "B" class China ponies is the second leg of the daily double, but there are not more than seven entries and the list is certainly small. Judging by the performances of the first section ponies (Expansion Time and Rundum Eve) should be well up at the finish. The latter is undoubtedly a better animal, but Expansion Time appeals to me on account of a pull of a few pounds and with Mr. "W.C." Needa up, the iron grey mare is my choice. Potentate to be ridden by Mr. Encarnacao is dangerous. Gladwin, owned by Mrs. Grasett, cannot complain about the poundage, in fact he has only five flights from the bottom of the staircase and I would recommend readers to back the pony should the going be firm.

### Six Entries For Great Bight H'cap

In the Great Bight Handicap for "B" class Australian ponies that have not won more than \$1,000 in stake money, the great fight over six furlongs could only attract six nominations and out of the total two entrants (Flinders River and Tar-

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### FIRST LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

The first leg of the daily double is on the Wallsend Handicap for "C" class Australian ponies and it will not keep the punters in long suspense, for it is only a sprint from the  $1\frac{1}{4}$  mile post (about half mile 170 yards). The result of the Manly Handicap last Saturday was Annabella, A Great Time, and Murray River and it will be remembered that there was some heavy money poured on the first two. As A Great Time is ineligible for the contest, Annabella must therefore be the first favourite. I may be wrong, but it appeared to me that the third, Cob Murray River—did not have a clear passage and this pony and her stable mate, Macquarie River, are worth following up. Brutus belonging to Mr. Treverton is under a cloud, but Breton owned by Mr. Tinson is looking extremely well and the distance is to the mare's liking. Breton is my best tip.

### West River H'cap May Be Tame

The West River Handicap is the longest jaunt to-morrow for "C" class China ponies over a distance from the two mile post, once round and in. It looks that it will be a tame affair and the field, I am afraid, will not be over half a dozen runners. Bootleg Bay has rejoined his old company, but I don't fancy him. As Galveston Bay has to carry topweight, there is good reason to believe that the pony will not accept and I nominate Tyne, Bright View and Laughing Girl. I expect to see these three finishing in that order.



GALATA II leaning forward to win the Oaks Stakes at Epsom.

## Here And There With "Abe"

### More About Cricket In The West Indies

In yesterday's issue was reprinted the first part of an article, written by S. H. Hayes in the Cricketer, on the West Indies cricketers, a team of whom is now touring England. Below is published the rest of the article:

"In 1928 a West Indian team came to England again, but hopes raised by the earlier team were not fulfilled. They won only five of their 30 first-class matches and had lost every Test Match by lunch-time on the third day. The old characteristics of patchy brilliance showed strongly, Chinaman was nothing like the great batsman of the previous tour, their three really fine fast bowlers were handicapped by poor catching in the slips and behind the wicket. "Many a time," said Constantine, "I wished I could field slip to my own bowling." This tour did make the name of that great player, L. N. Constantine, known.

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### Weak Batting

"Yet it was batting which really let them down in Australia. Headley, Grant and Martin apart, they showed neither skill nor resolution against Irremonger and Grimmett. In the last Test Match, however, the rain came to help them, Grant declared twice and they won an exciting victory. 1933 in England was very much like 1928, but it served to endorse opinions of George Headley already formed overseas, and it produced yet another fast bowler in E. A. Martindale, who, like Francis, St. Hill, Constantine and Headley, later found his way into northern English league cricket. West Indian cricket did an astonishing thing when it produced Headley. He revolutionised our conception of West Indian negro batsmanship—a batting machine of the Bradman type. He has a wealth of lovely strokes and moves to the ball with a fascinating smoothness, but most remarkable is the composed temperament and the control which enables him to discipline his play as the occasion demands. In first-class games in 1933 he scored 2,320 runs, average 66.28. In the Oval Test Match, on a wicket giving him a little help, C. S. Marriott demonstrated the inability of the West Indians to cope with subtleties of flight and spin. There at Lord's they were well beaten, but at Manchester they fought an honourable draw.

### No Solidity

"So the story of West Indian cricket thus far is not one of impressive team performance, of solidity, or even stubborn respectability. Rather do we think of an intoxicating melange of brilliant hitters and headlong fast bowlers, of little, eager fielding, if not dependable catching. Great players they have had—Challenger, Constantine, Headley, Martindale and many very good ones—Small, St. Hill, Roach and Sealey, always looking for a chance to hit a four and if possible a six. John, Martin, Francis and Griffiths. When cricket grows of ten care-worn and drab with sophistication and mere cleverness, the gaiety and sparkle of West Indian cricket are badly needed."

### Test Matches

"In the Test Matches it was not that England played superlatively well, but the West Indies played badly. Constantine did nothing at all, and indeed in Test Matches away from his own land his record is astonishingly poor. Hobbs did not play in the first Test, but in the other two he tamed the new terrors as he had tamed the old. That summer West Indies fielded while Hobbs scored 13, 123, 53, 159, 14, 119. He was 45 and in the nature of things could not play many more Test Matches, but as he made easy movements this way and that the pace and fire of the attack became a furious futility. Two years later this same West Indian attack was tackling Woodfull, Ponsford, Bradman, Kippax, Jackson and McCabe in Australia. The old difficulties of team selection showed themselves. Grant going straight from Cambridge to captain a side entirely strange to him. Constantine was as usual magnificent outside the Test Matches and ineffective in them. In ten Test Match innings he lost his wicket every time for a highest score of 14 and his eight wickets cost 407. Wickets were slower than the West

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# Tommy Farr Shows Some Of His Old Skill

## Larry Gains Retires At End Of Five Rounds: Injures His Right Hand

London, May 18.

Fighting with something like his old snap and speed, Tommy Farr, the Welsh heavyweight, won his second fight since his return to this country, when he beat Larry Gains, the veteran Canadian on the Cardiff City football ground last night.

Gains retired at the end of the 5th round. The retirement came as a surprise.

True, Farr was winning decisively at the time but he had caused no serious damage, and there was nothing to suggest that Gains would not survive the full distance of 12 rounds.

During the interval following the 5th round, however, Gains spoke to his seconds, and one of them called the referee, Mr. Moss Deyong. The latter hesitated for a moment, and then as the gong went to start the next round, he waved Farr back and called for the M.C.

It was announced that Gains had retired owing to an injury to his right hand, and one of his seconds at once began slitting the glove off with a pair of scissors.

There was not a single murmur of disappointment. The crowd of over 25,000, a record for Wales, had defied the bitterly cold wind to see Farr fight on Welsh soil again, and were delighted with his victory.

### FARR'S IMPROVEMENT

Farr boxed much better than he did in his previous fight against the American, Red Burman. He was quicker on his feet and more confident.

He used his left splendidly, and at times opened out with a furious onslaught of long, swinging punches which would have been dangerous to himself against a younger opponent. What upset Gains, however, was Farr's ceaseless attack. The Welshman was fighting and punching every second. At close quarters he kept both arms free and battered away until Gains was able to clinch.

Farr was definitely better. It may be said, however, although it may seem to dilute these words of praise, that the opposition was very weak.

Gains is 37. He retired after 13 leisurely rounds against Len Harvey recently through sheer exhaustion—not through punishment received, but through boxing age.

Last night he met a man heavier and stronger than Harvey, and one who set a very fast pace. Gains has always been a brilliant defensive boxer, and he still retains his skill. But though able to foil Farr again and again, particularly in the early rounds, he himself never had time to strike a worth-while punch.

### PUNCHED AS HE LIKED

Farr could "consequently" throw punches as he liked, and as long as he kept punching nothing ever came back. That, of course, gives a fighter even greater confidence.

Farr had every incentive to take risks, and in the third round he

### SPORT ADVTS

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 10th June, 1939, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

### MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 21920).

### PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary,  
Hongkong, 6th June, 1939.

### THE "TELEGRAPH"

will send a Staff Photographer to all events of public interest. Requests should be addressed to the Pictorial.



Strange are the ways of a man with a maid! Shirley Temple is inclined to agree with Joan Davis in her opinion of Bert Lahr's serenade in "Just Around the Corner," Shirley's latest 20th Century-Fox picture, opening to-morrow at the King's Theatre.

## Switzerland May Lose Winter Games

London, June 7.

The principal topic on the programme of to-day's meeting of the International Olympic Committee was the Fifth Winter Olympic Games and the position that skiing competitions will take on the programme.

Switzerland, which will stage the Winter Olympics of 1940 at St. Moritz has declined to include skiing as a demonstration competition.

This announcement from the Swiss Olympic Committee was received with mixed feelings and although the Swiss position regarding this item was made quite clear, it was decided to give the Swiss delegate an opportunity of conferring with the Swiss Olympic Committee.

Switzerland will have until tomorrow noon to reverse their decision, but it is believed that should they continue to refuse to include skiing in the Olympic programme except as a regular competition, the Winter Olympic Games will be withdrawn from St. Moritz and awarded to another country.

It was further decided at to-day's meeting to include bob-sleigh racing with two and four men bobs, in the Olympic programme. A motion to include hockey, as in previous Olympiads and basketball and handball in the 1940 programme was rejected on the grounds that there was not time available for adequate preparation of these items. Whether these sports will be included in future festivals will be decided at a later date.

At the conclusion of the meeting, speeches by the Swiss, American and Polish delegates were made. Each applied on behalf of his country for the privilege of organising the Olympic Games of 1944.

The Swiss member proposed Lausanne as the site of the 1944 festival, while the American member suggested Detroit.

The question has not yet been decided, but it is believed that an announcement of the Committee's decision will be made either to-morrow or on Friday.—Trans-Ocean, Japan's Delegates Accepted.

London, June 7.

At the 36th general meeting of the International Olympic Committee at the Dorchester Hotel, the International Olympic Committee approved the nomination of Dr. Matsuzo Nagai and Mr. Shingoro Takaiishi as the Japanese members of the Committee. —Dow.

### Indoor Bowls

## Champions Extended By Scratch Team

The first match of the first round of the Ewo League, third tourney, was played off last night between the "Champs" and the "Bulldogs." The "Champs," who have never yet been beaten, won by the narrow margin of 116 points.

The losers' feet was the more remarkable as three members of the team failed to turn up and their places had to be taken by Chas Miller, of the Intercontinent (China) Ltd., F. R. Holls, of the U.S.S. Mindanao, and Mr. Gray, of the U.S.S. Ashville.

In the third game the champions were beaten, and the finish was very close.

Scores:

		"Champs"		209	148	843
Dick Haaether	151	183	103	408		
Doe Molthen	151	179	103	405		
Gene Faggiano	155	157	128	420		
Total				1,244		

"Bulldogs"

Clara Miller (Deputy) 171 172 107 640

Gray (Deputy) 144 159 114 429

Homb T. Barker R.A. 93 124 101 329

Total ..... 1,253

## DONALD BUDGE TOO GOOD FOR VINES IN WEMBLEY GAME

London, May 19.

Budge, Vines, Tilden and Nusslein, the big tennis four, were again in competition at Wembley last night to decide the professional championship. The two Californians, both with a victory to their credit, were playing each other. The two losers of Tuesday, Tilden and Nusslein were in conflict.

In the Wembley pool for this occasion when these two have met we saw superlative baseline driving, each man keeping a fine length and generating a bewildering speed, with the rallies grimly long.

Tilden, in his gala days, held five balls in his left hand, served four aces to win the game and passed the fifth ball contemptuously over the net to his opponent. But his square shoulders cannot now produce the same consistent play, while Nusslein had enough practice against thunderbolts on Tuesday when he almost bent Vines, to parry his frontal attack.

So it was the German's remarkable sound defence in the driving exchanges, and his superior back hand that earned victory. Tilden has never been quite as formidable since, partly to save himself physically, and partly to disturb the four musketeers of France, he adopted the slice on his back hand.

His drive on this wing used to be as peaceful as Budge's. It nearly broke the heart of W. M. Johnston. Last night it was the stroke which Nusslein found vulnerable under pressure.

Yet there was nearly as much commotion when Tilden saved two match balls after terrific sprint from side to side as when an electric light bulb burst with a loud report over the court early in the contest.

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The champion came slowly to his peak. He lost his opening service and was within a point of being 3-1 down, but after the set was square at 2-all, the touchstone was found and a fine service break carried him to 4-2.

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### Lawn Bowls

## Two League Matches Decided

The Kowloon Football Club had an easy victory over Kowloon Tong in a second division fixture yesterday, winning by 31 shots. The final scores were 72-41. Of the Football Club's rink those skipped by A. Spry and A. H. Busto were beaten by a wide margin. Spry losing to T. Ferguson by 30 shots to six. His rink could only score on four heads.

P. McCarthy, B. Thompson, V. Atienza and W. Field beat Y. Abbas, H. Y. Hsu, A. J. Kew and A. H. Busto 20-12.

W. Groves, J. Eastman, P. Youngs and T. Ferguson won by 30-9.

B. Evans, W. Simpson, J. Gibson and V. Chittenden lost to A. E. Castro, T. K. Lim, J. N. Wong and H. Gitting 16-23.

THIRD DIVISION

Stanley unexpectedly beat the Kowloon Football Club at Stanley in their resumed Third Division lawn bowls fixture yesterday. They won a deserved victory by the narrow margin of one shot, the final scores being 58-57. The match was started on May 27, but had to be postponed half-way through owing to rain.

A. Perry, J. W. Hudson, G. Foster, and T. File beat J. Izatt, C. Fuller, J. Ross and P. Morgan 10-13.

W. E. Webber, J. W. Fitzgerald, J. E. McCutcheon and C. M. Gowland lost to C. Woodcock, H. Fantham, A. Hughes and W. Excell 20-29.

E. Franks, V. H. Freeman, S. Hodges and T. E. Gooding beat W. Mill, C. M. Hall, S. C. Wong and V. Petherick 19-15.

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## FRIDAY . . . FAVOURITES

HERE we are at Friday again. The question is: What shall we have for dinner? The joint won't be ordered until to-morrow, and all the left-overs have been used up.

A good chance to serve one of the family favourites, such as rabbit casserole or Irish stew.

Or perhaps you like fish on Friday in anticipation of the week-end roast.

Here are some economical and nourishing meals from which to choose your menu to-day.

### Savoury Cod

First a savoury way with cod. Wash, trim and bone 2lb. tail-end of cod, then make a stuffing as follows:

Mix together 3oz. breadcrumbs, 1oz. shredded suet, a pinch of salt and pepper, 1 teas., chopped parsley, a pinch of mixed herbs, a few drops of lemon juice.

Bind with a beaten egg, then spread the mixture on to the fish. Roll this up, and tie securely with tape.

Place fish in a baking-tin with a little stock, then bake in a moderate oven, Regulo mark 4, for three-quarters of an hour, basting frequently.

When cooked, thicken the liquor with cornflour, and sprinkle the fish with chopped parsley.

### Sausage Pudding

Takes no time to prepare and is a great favourite with the children. Line a greased pudding basin with a plain suet crust. Arrange pork or beef sausages around the sides, with two in the middle, brown them first in the frying pan, if liked.

Fill in the spaces between the sausages with chopped onion and cold mashed potatoes and a pinch of powdered sage. Damp the edges of the crust with water, then cover the top with a suet crust lid.

Cover with a piece of greased paper, then tie down with a scalded and floured cloth, and steam the pudding for three hours.

Turn out and serve with mashed potato and parsnips.

### Bacon Roly-Poly

Excellent way of using up left-over cold bacon. It can be either boiled or fried for this dish.

Melt a suet crust with 1½lb. flour, 3oz. shredded suet, a pinch of salt, and a little cold water. Mix to a stiff paste, roll out on a floured board.

Layer some slices of bacon on the paste, sprinkle with a little chopped parsley and smear with mustard. Moisten the edges, roll up tightly and pinch the ends together. Tie in a scalded and floured cloth and boil for two hours.

### Tripe and Onions

Nourishing and easily digested, and a cost-little dish. Good for invalids and convalescents.

This small-cake type is generally preferred, and the usual way is to serve it with onions.

Peel three medium-sized onions with a pinch of salt and 3 tablespoonsfuls of shredded suet. Add sufficient cold water to form a stiff paste, then roll out on a floured board to about ¼ inch thick.

Thicken the liquor with a little blended cornflour, add a nut of margarine, and serve with mashed potatoes and more boiled onions.

### Orange Pudding

An economy pudding, light and digestible.

Ingredients: ½lb. self-raising flour, 4oz. margarine, cold water to mix, 2oz. sausages around the sides, with 2 in the middle, brown them first in the frying pan, if liked.

Line a greased pudding basin with a plain suet crust. Arrange pork or beef sausages around the sides, with two in the middle, brown them first in the frying pan, if liked.

Fill in the spaces between the sausages with chopped onion and cold mashed potatoes and a pinch of powdered sage. Damp the edges of the crust with water, then cover the top with a suet crust lid.

Cover with a piece of greased paper, then tie down with a scalded and floured cloth, and steam the pudding for three hours.

Turn out and serve with mashed potato and parsnips.

### Baked in a Pie

Tie the ends with tape, fix a safety pin in the centre. Bake for 2½ hours, or steam for 3 hours. Turn out and serve with hot custard.

### Rabbit en Casserole

SATISFYING and savoury for the family dinner.

Ingredients: 1 good-sized rabbit, a few strips of fat bacon, 2oz. butter or margarine, 2 onions, 3 slices of lean bacon cut into dice, 1 heaped tablespoon, flour, 2 teasp., chopped parsley, 1 teasp., thyme, salt and pepper, 1 pint stock.

Wash, wipe and joint the rabbit, lard the legs and breast with strips of fat bacon, and fry in an earthenware casserole, containing the butter, sliced onions and diced bacon.

When a light-brown colour, season with salt and pepper, then sprinkle with flour. Stir over heat until the flour has acquired a chestnut-brown tint, then pour in stock.

Rub the margarine into the flour until very fine. Add the grated lemon rind and juice, stir in the sugar, egg, and a little milk if necessary. Mix well, pour into greased baking tin, and bake in a fairly hot oven for 1 hour, Regulo mark 5.

This pudding is sufficient for five persons. Orange juice and the rind can be used in place of the lemon.

### Mincemeat Roll

You will be wanting to use up the left-over mincemeat I expect. Here is a good way.

Mix 2 cupfuls of self-raising flour with a pinch of salt and 3 tablespoonsfuls of shredded suet.

Peel three medium-sized onions with a pinch of salt and 3 tablespoonsfuls of shredded suet. Add sufficient cold water to form a stiff paste, then roll out on a floured board to about ¼ inch thick.

Spread liberally with mincemeat, damp the edges and roll up, pinching the ends well together. Fold in a piece of greased paper, then in a folded cloth. Tie each end securely, fix a safety pin in the centre. Steam for at least 2 hours.

### DUMMIES TEST FIRE NETS

Toledo, O.

Firemen here send in substitutes—football tackling dummies—when testing nets. Although the fire department is equipped with nets and a new 65-foot training tower, no person has had to leap into one here in 40 years.

### NO CITY JOBS FOR BACHELORS

Scottsville, Ky.

Bachelors are barred to-day in Scottsville from employment with the municipal government. Council has ruled that future city employees must be married, with preference given to those who have dependents.

## Hair Care In Summer

IN summer hair is liable to become dry, harsh, and lustreless when exposed to the direct rays of the sun.

The heat of the sun, although a natural force, does to the hair what an improperly handled curling iron may do, and has all day in which to do it.

Wearing one's hat seems to be no good answer to this problem, but it is by no means a popular one. It is possible, however, to treat the hair so that, even without the hat, it will escape, to a great extent, the harm which the sun can do.

First, decide whether your hair is oily or dry, and increase the treatment in proportion to the degree of oiliness or dryness.

Those who have oily hair are lucky during the summer, but should give it the following treatment: Glycerine added to water (about a teaspoonful to a pint) should be applied to the hair, especially to that part not shielded from the sun, before venturing out of doors.

This will accomplish two distinct ends: the glycerine will give back any slight nourishment which the sun has previously drawn from the hair, and will protect the hair from further injury.

If the hair is short the glycerine may be applied by wetting the palm of the hand with it, and smoothing the hair.

If the hair is long, it should be patted on before the coiffure is completed.

Dry hair should be consistently treated with some good nourishing oil which a hair expert will recommend.

By these methods you can be certain that the colour your hair possesses will not be taken from it.

But the lustre comes back naturally a little brilliant will accomplish wonders. This should be applied sparingly and should correspond with your favourite scent.

Until the lustre comes back naturally a little brilliant will accomplish wonders. This should be applied sparingly and should correspond with your favourite scent.

### With Hard Water

If you are forced to use hard water, add the juice of a lemon to the last rinsing water if you are a blonde, and to the next to the last rinsing water if you are a brunette.

Lemon has a tendency to bleach the hair, and if the very last rinse is made in clear, cold water the bleaching element will therefore be removed.

If the water is hard, try to procure warm rain water and your hair will then be sure of a good, safe bath. If rain water cannot be obtained it is a good idea to give the scalp frequent oil rubs.

Never leave salt water in the hair after a refreshing dip. Wash it out—and at once—and then sit in the sun just long enough to dry it.

### With Soft Water

If you are forced to use hard water, add the juice of a lemon to the last rinsing water if you are a blonde, and to the next to the last rinsing water if you are a brunette.

Lemon has a tendency to bleach the hair, and if the very last rinse is made in clear, cold water the bleaching element will therefore be removed.

If you follow all these directions you will find that next winter will not be one of despair because the hair is "off colour," crisp, dry, and lifeless.

Nature is kind, however, and will ultimately give back your lost colour if you are patient. Watch your health, protect your hair from the sun, and you will be rewarded by retrieving your own natural shade.

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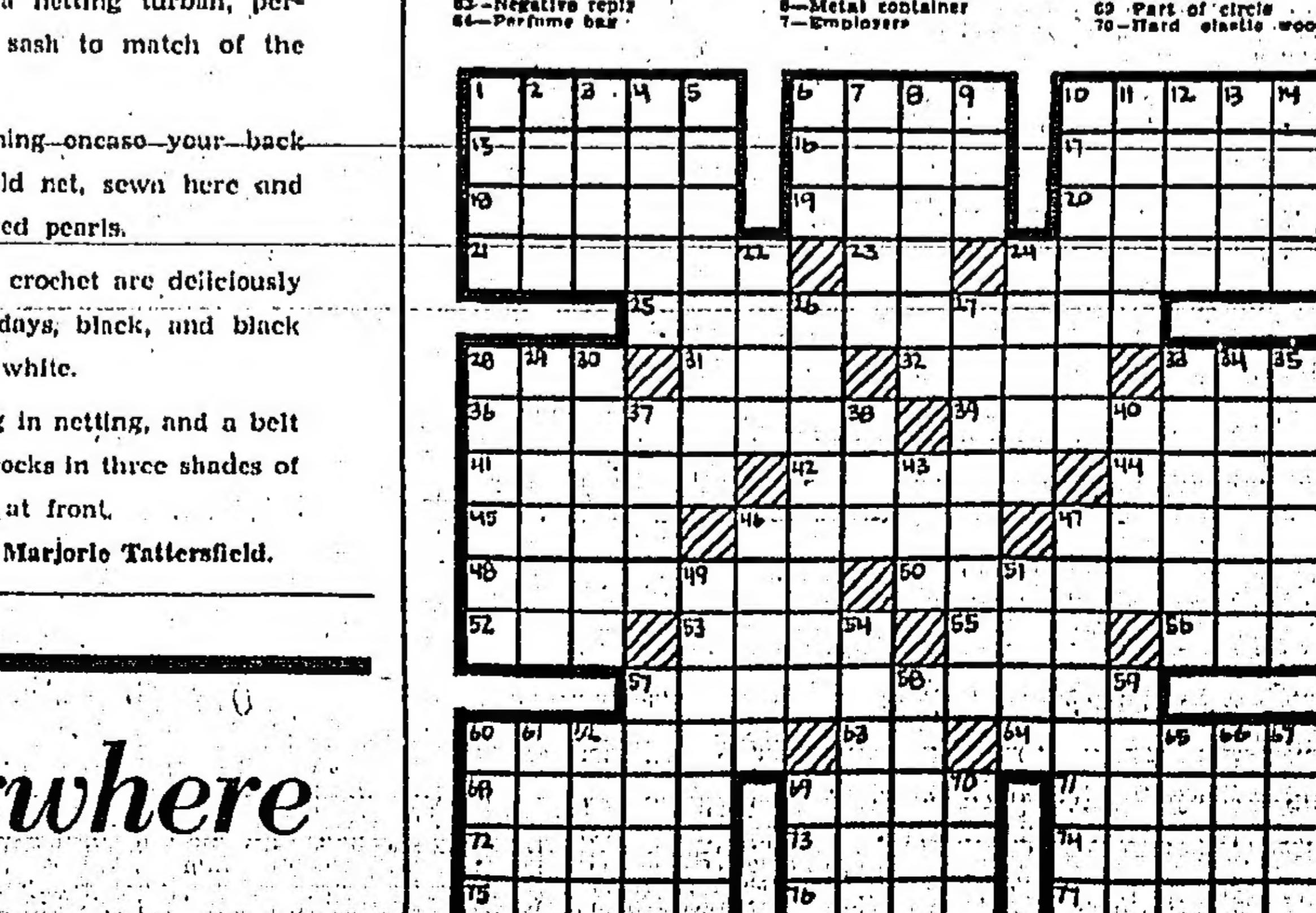
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- Toward ocean
- Automatically operated vessel
- Time of terror or
- Bringers
- In country of
- Electrolytic
- Prefer: once more
- Standard of comparison
- Advanced engineering degree
- Water-soluble plum
- Struggles for supremacy
- Small thrust
- Small tree
- Government of
- Leave out
- Article of apparel
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- Irreducible person
- False mistake
- Persons
- Little town
- Symbol of femininity
- Electrically accumulated
- Instrumental composition
- Negative reply
- Permit one
- Adjusts once more
- Darken
- Mountain trails
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- Source of energy
- Lookout
- Reduced from proceeding
- Attic Western
- Severe harm
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- Causes or gives
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- Hard elastic wood



## FUN WITH A BIT OF STRING



Can you do filet crochet, did your grandmother teach you tatting? It's all high fashion this summer. Here are some of the ways to use it:

1 Make a thick chenille net for your back hair, to wear under a shallow-crowned hat.

2 For the country, or golf, or the beach, wear a netting turban, perhaps with a sash to match of the same stuff.

3 For evening—oncaso—your back curls in a gold net, sewn here and there with seed pearls.

4 Gloves in crochet are deliciously cool for hot days, black, and black stitched with white.

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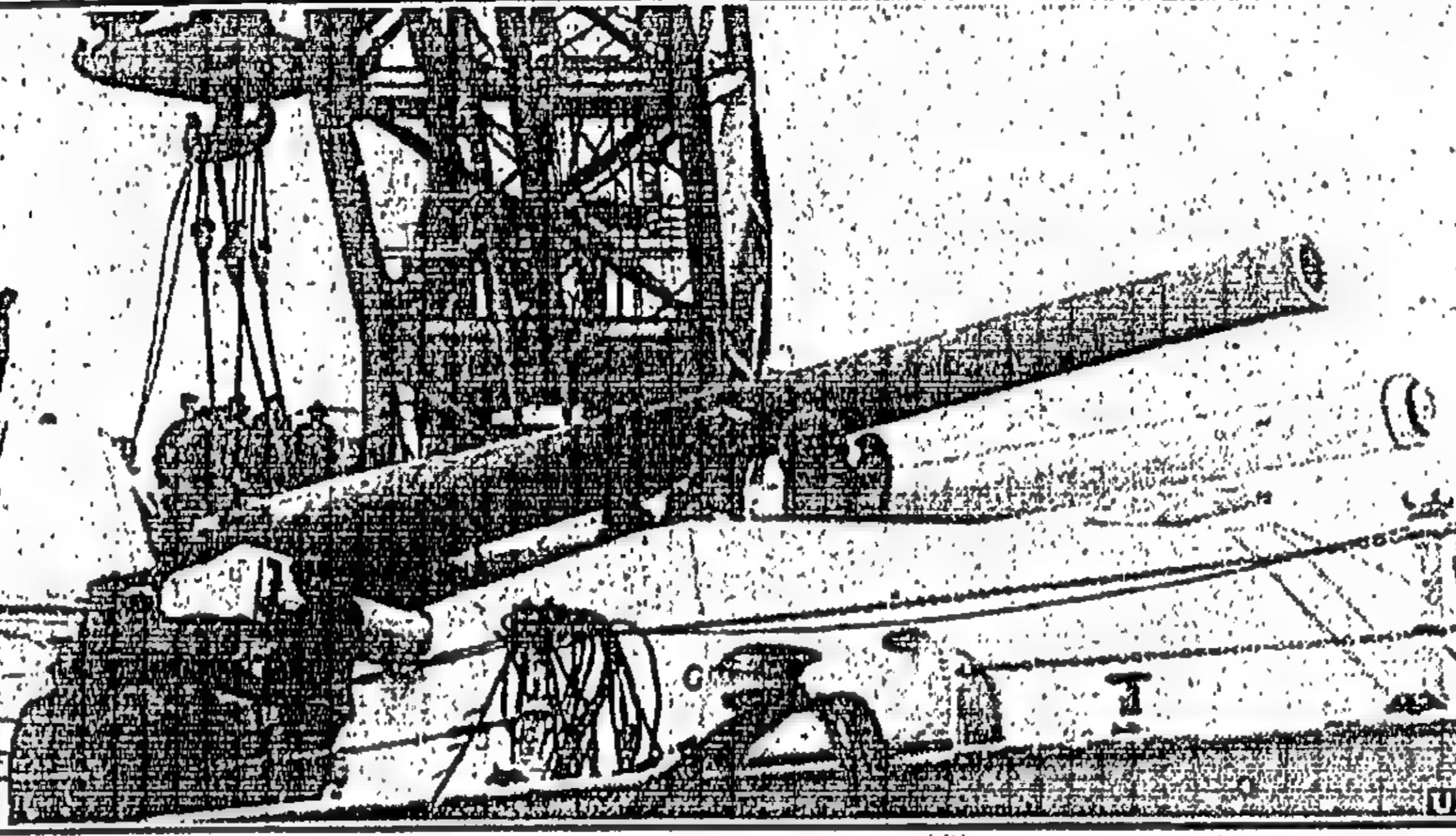
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## PHOTOGRAPH EWS



Hosts at a farewell dinner to the King and Queen, as shown in this photograph, were Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, right, and Mrs. Kennedy, left. Menu included Baltimore shad roe, Virginia ham and Georgia pickled peaches. All nine Kennedy children, together for the first time in England, met the British sovereigns.



The American battleship West Virginia, gets a new tooth. It's a 16-inch gun being placed in the No. 2 turret before the big ship leaves the Brooklyn, N. Y., navy yard. After the gun was fully set, the ship left to join the Pacific fleet.



Mexico City rioter who took part in clash between supporters of Vicente Toledano, head of powerful Labour Confederation, and opponents in hands of police. He scored inhuman acts which have shocked the world.



President Roosevelt speaking to the Red Cross convention from the South Portico of the White House. He scored inhuman acts which have shocked the world.

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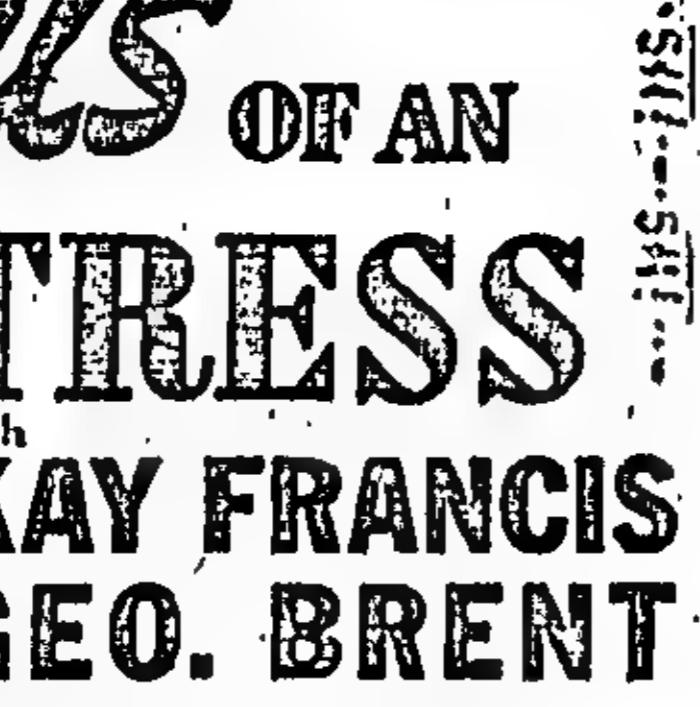
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## Film Industry Says New Tax Means Ruin

THE cinema industry, protesting against the Budget tax on film, has been urgently trying to circumvent a blow which, it was declared, would place the whole industry in jeopardy.

Following a meeting in London of all sections of the industry a statement was issued declaring that the new tax, among other things—

Would increase the cost of film by more than 100 per cent; Might mean the immediate extinction of some British film companies;

Would curtail the importation of American films and have a serious effect on exhibitors.

## EMPIRE NEWS

### 400 EXTRA POLICE FOR TANGANYIKA

**DAR-ES-SALAAM.** A statement issued recently by the Tanganyika Government on emergency defence measures which are being taken revealed that 200 extra police and 200 special constables are to be enrolled.

This new personnel is to be distributed between Dar-es-Salaam and Tanganyika, where there are already military garrisons.

The Government declared that it was ready to deal with any emergency in the territory. The naval volunteer defence force was already being trained, it was stated, and the training of pilots for the air reserve was promised.

The statement added that arrangements had been made to control in an emergency the transport of petrol, oil and food.

Food production was to be increased, while the possibility of Tanganyika meeting Empire requirements with local products was being studied.

### NEW ZEALAND

### PLANS FOR AIDING REFUGEE STUDENTS

**AUCKLAND.** Measures for the relief of refugee students were disclosed by Mr. J. B. Almers, president of the New Zealand University Students' Association. He said that funds were to be organised for the maintenance of one suitable student at each of the four university colleges.

An appeal is to be made by sub-committees of the association in each of the four university centres.

Efforts are to be made to obtain from the college authorities exemption or substantial reductions in fees and board for five years for the selected students. An allowance for living expenses is to be set aside from the fund.

### SOUTH AFRICA

### MINISTER'S MOVE TO CONTROL NAZIS

**CAPE TOWN.** Mr. R. Stuttaford, Union Minister of the Interior, informed Parliament recently that he intended to ask the House to consider the advisability of extending the provisions of the Aliens Registration Bill to cover those whose presence in the Union was considered harmful to the welfare of the State.

The bill, which deals with the deportation of aliens, reached the Committee stage.

Mr. Stuttaford's move is believed to be directed against Nazi propagandists in the Union, and also in South-West Africa, which is covered by the bill.

### INDIA

### BOATS BLOWN HALF A MILE INLAND

**CALCUTTA.** Gopalgunj in East Bengal has experienced the most fierce tornado in living memory.

The wind was so strong that big boats in the river were blown half a mile inland and dashed to pieces against trees. A calf was found dead on the top of a palm tree 60 ft. in height.

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## 2,000 Attend Garden Party Government House Reception

At Government House yesterday morning Consular representatives paid formal respects to the King, through the Governor, and in the afternoon the House and gardens became the scene of a colourful garden party, the day's chief social occasion and one of the most pleasant Vice-Regal functions of the year. Invitations issued numbered 2,338 and most of these were accepted. The Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, pleasantly received and made everyone immediately welcome, spending the whole afternoon among his guests after the business of formal reception was over. Tables arranged on the lawn, each decorated with a fern pot, accommodated the guests, conditions being made more pleasant by the fact that the sun was mostly veiled by cloud, though no rain fell.

Afternoon tea was served at the tables and in the ballroom, and drinks were dispensed from a matched pavilion draped with flags at one side of the lawn. A flow of unbroken music was provided by the Middlesex Regiment Band and the Royal Scots Pipers.

The absence in Shanghai of the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl Macgregor, prevented his or Lady Macgregor attending. Lady Noble was present, but the Birmingham brought back the Commander-in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, too late in the afternoon for him to attend. One notable guest was Mr. H. F. Dwyer, Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce at Tientsin, who figured in a sensational episode in February when he was the captive of Chinese bandits for 17 days. His wife was also present.

### Shameen Celebrates

Shameen, June 8. The British community to-day cast away its cares and worries in celebrating His Majesty's official birthday.

A review of the combined police and naval forces was held at 9.30 a.m. in Queen's Garden when Mr. A. P. Blunt, the Consul-General, took the salute.

A reception was held at the Consulate-General from 11.30 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. at which the Consular body and representatives of the foreign communities were present. The health of His Majesty was proposed at noon. —Reuter.

### LIKELY TO RECOVER

### Chinese Detective Shot In Gun Duel

Constable Wan Man, who was shot in the stomach by a gangster on Monday morning during the Li Yuen Street shooting affair, was stated yesterday to be still in a critical condition.

The operation performed on him at the Queen Mary Hospital has been highly successful and his good constitution may help him to pull through.

"He is holding on very well and there is every chance of a recovery," said a police officer.

## LATE NEWS

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## U.S.S.R. PACT DEBATED IN THE LORDS

LONDON, June 8.

IN THE House of Lords to-day, the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, expressed the hope that a permanent Anglo-Polish mutual aid pact would be concluded shortly.

Responding to criticism of the delay in the negotiations with Russia, Lord Halifax said Great Britain was unable to thrust assurances of non-aggression on the Baltic States if they are not wanted.

"At the same time it must be recognised from the viewpoint of her own security that Russia cannot be disinterested in the security of her neighbours," he said.

### Peace With Germany

He added that he thought the British people "still earnestly desire to reach an agreement with Germany" not only to assist in the settlement of any particular question, but also to place the two countries on a secure footing of mutual confidence."

Negotiations with Turkey for mutual defence in the East Mediterranean have been successfully concluded, he revealed.

Diplomatic circles report that Britain has prepared a new proposal for Russia whereby the three countries will guarantee each other's vital interests against aggression.—United Press.

### LABOUR CRITICAL

LONDON, June 8.—Initiating a foreign affairs debate in the House of Lords to-day, Lord Snell maintained that the Government was driven at last to accept the main principles of collective security.

The Labour Party were perplexed when they saw that what they advocated, supposed to be a war policy, became a sure bulwark of world peace, when taken over by the Government.

Referring to Russia, Lord Snell said the delays taking place in arriving at a decision, were to say the least, disturbing.

The situation in the Far East seemed to be very unsatisfactory. British ships were stopped and searched, officers were arrested and detained, and soldiers were apparently stabbed to death.

The whole situation looked anxious.

Without making any sort of an attack on Viscount Halifax, it would seem that his reply to the appeal by Dr. Wellington Koo at Genoa was disturbingly unsympathetic.

Viscount Halifax said the Government anticipated that all foreign personnel would be withdrawn from Spain without further delay. With regard to material, the Government had no intention of misleading Parliament. Quite obviously what we had particularly in mind was the question of war material under Italian or German control, because anybody who gave the subject a moment's thought must appreciate that there was nothing to prevent the Germans or Italians selling war material to General Franco if they felt so minded. The point was explicitly raised during the negotiations with the Italian Government, and they made it quite plain that they must have the right to sell to General Franco if they so desired.

### No Breach

Viscount Halifax said that he did not think there was any ground for complaint regarding a breach of the agreement.

The Foreign Secretary said that Lord Snell had referred to the Far East, where, as he had said, the situation in a good many directions and with regard to more than one incident, was one which was causing the Government considerable concern and anxiety.

"I can only assure Lord Snell, that as these several incidents arise, we do our best to see that British interests are well protected."

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CAPTAIN and Mrs. C. R. Boxer leaving St. John's Cathedral after their wedding yesterday evening. The bride was formerly Miss U. N. A. Tullon.—King's Studio.

### COMMONS AND THE FAR EAST

## Britain's Sympathies With China Stressed

LONDON, June 8.

REPLYING TO Mr. J. W. Banfield in connection with Viscount Halifax's recent speech at Geneva, Mr. R. A. Butler said that the Government proposed to continue to give effect to the resolutions of the League of Nations in favour of the maximum sympathetic aid to China.

Asked by Mr. Robert Morgan to state what effect the Government had given to the various League resolutions, Mr. Butler said he was sending Mr. Morgan extracts from the minutes of the League Council at which Viscount Halifax made it clear that the Government had not departed from the policy prescribed for League members in previous resolutions, and mentioning the lines on which they had taken action in recognition of their obligations under those resolutions.

### Yangtse Blockade

Replying to Sir Alfred Knox with regard to the freedom of transit on the Yangtse, Mr. Butler said that by coincidence, the French, British and American Ambassadors and the naval Commanders-in-Chief had recently found themselves simultaneously in Shanghai, and no doubt they took opportunity of exchange views on various matters of common concern. Viscount Halifax was not aware of a formal meeting having taken place.

### Further representations on the subject of British trade in the Yangtse delta were made to Japan by Sir Robert Craigie on June 6.—Reuter.

### Mooting In Shanghai

LONDON, June 8.—In the House of Commons to-day, Sir Alfred Knox asked whether, at a recent meeting in Shanghai of the British, French and United States Ambassadors, accompanied by their respective naval officers commanding in the China waters, the question of restoring the freedom of transit on the Yangtse to shipping of all nations was discussed: what conclusions were

## ARREST OF WANG IS ORDERED

### Chungking Brands Him Traitor

CHUNGKING, June 9.  
ARREST OF Wang Ching-wei, expelled Kuomintang leader, was ordered by the National Government in a mandate issued yesterday.

The mandate said that after his expulsion from the Kuomintang and dismissal from his official posts, Wang still failed to awaken to his own blunder. Instead he proceeded secretly last month to Shanghai, where he associated with traitors and the enemy and engaged in high treason.

According to the mandate, over 1,000 petitions had been received by the National Government from the people at home and abroad asking for the immediate arrest of Wang. All military and political organs were therefore instructed to help to effect his arrest and subject him to punishment in order to uphold law and discipline.—Central News.

### Wang Dismissed

CHUNGKING, June 9.—The Southeast Overseas Chinese Refugee Relief Association has dismissed Wang Ching-wei, expelled Kuomintang leader, from the post of honorary chairman of the Association for his alleged subversive activities against the state.

In addition, the Association has petitioned the National Government to punish Wang.—Central News.

### Answers To Correspondents

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## 600,000 Greet King & Queen

### Uproarious Welcome In Washington

WASHINGTON, June 8.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S hearty "How are you?" the cheers of 600,000 American citizens and the crash of saluting cannon greeted Their Majesties as they walked through the saluting lines of Marines and sailors to the presidential receptions after their arrival in the Capital at noon to-day.

Cheers resounded through the high-vaulted Union Station regardless of the stiff formality of diplomatic etiquette.

"How are you? I am so glad to see you!" said President Roosevelt. King George smiled broadly, murmured a response to the President and held out his hand which Mr. Roosevelt shook heartily.

The King then turned and presented the Queen to President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

His Majesty wore the glittering full dress uniform of an Admiral while the President was in formal morning attire.

### Ladies In Wool

The Queen and Mrs. Roosevelt wore blue woolen dresses which were a mutual gift from British and United States wool growers.

At 12.11 p.m. the Royal visitors, with the Roosevelts and Cabinet ministers, emerged from the vast station; the saluting troops presented arms; the crowds roared cheers and the Marine Band played "The Star Spangled Banner" and "God Save the King."

The King stood at the salute while Mr. Roosevelt held his top hat over his heart; the entire party remaining immobile during the playing of the national anthem and the 21 gun salute, after which they proceeded slowly to the White House in motor cars amidst the roars of the crowds.

The King and the President were in the first car and the ladies in the second.

Queen Elizabeth immediately opened her parasol—the temperature was 89 degrees in the packed and sweltering streets.

The party entered the White House at 12.50 p.m.

When the Queen and Mrs. Roosevelt exchanged greetings at the station, Mrs. Roosevelt did not curtsy.

Despelling this morning's rumours that all attempts to lift the *Thetis* would be abandoned, Mr. Chamberlain said that the extent of the flooding of the sunken vessel was much more than was originally indicated.

### Liked Each Other

The ladies smiled, exchanged inaudible greetings and seemed immediately to like each other.

They rode side by side in the open car to the accompaniment of "Oh's" and "Ah's" from the women in the crowd, who marvelled at the Queen's beauty.—United Press.

### Tumultuous Cheers

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The King and Queen arrived at the Union Station, Washington, at 4 p.m. G.M.T. and the crowd, who had been silent, burst into a tumultuous cheer.

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### DREADNOUGHTS IN PACIFIC

## Can Britain Send Ships?

LONDON, June 8.  
THE PRIME MINISTER declared in the House of Commons to-day that the report on the New Zealand conference with regard to the Pacific had been received and was being considered.

The proceedings would not be published as they were confidential.

### TAKE FIRM ATTITUDE

### Chungking Urges British Stand

CHUNGKING, June 8.  
WELL-INFORMED Chinese circles decry the British concessions to the Japanese in Tientsin as "a weak attempt to apply to policy of appeasement in the Far East."

They claim that under no circumstances should Chinese citizens be tried under British or Japanese law, and that they should be punished under police regulations in the concessions or according to Chinese laws promulgated by the National Government.

British recognition of the Japanese invaders as the *de facto* authorities would be a clear definition of British foreign policy in the Far East and could be recognised only as a concession to Japan or as a part of a policy of appeasement which has clearly failed in other parts of the world," it is claimed.

Pointing out that the strong British stand at Kuanlungu prevented further Japanese encroachment, they said: "A policy of weakness at Tientsin at present would only re-open the struggle between the third powers and Japan."

Japan always takes advantage of any weakness shown and Britain should move carefully before committing herself to any policy of appeasement such as the reported weakness at Tientsin which, it is indicated, is a policy she may be adopting."—United Press.

### 512 Miles By 'Electric'

PARIS.—The first train ran recently over the all-electric route from Paris to Hendaye (512 miles) in less than eight hours.

## Attempt To Raise Lost Sub. May Be Abandoned

LONDON, June 8.

THE POSSIBILITY that the attempt to salvage the submarine *Thetis* will be abandoned was hinted at by Lord Stanhope in a statement to Parliament to-day.

He declared that the salvage work was still at work on the submarine, but that in the event of a storm, efforts to raise the vessel would have to be abandoned.—Trans-Ocean.

He said further attempts would be made during more favourable weather and when heavier lifting equipment is available.—United Press.

### Abortive Attempt

London, June 8.—The Premier announced in the House of Commons to-day that the public enquiry into the *Thetis* disaster would be presided over by Mr. Justice Bucknill.

Questioned regarding to-day's abortive attempt to raise the *Thetis*, Mr. Chamberlain said that all the lifting wires were under the submarine yesterday. This morning a heavy swell threw a heavy strain on the wires, and the after ones parted. Consequently the forward wires had to be slipped.

The flooding of the *Thetis* was thought to be more extensive than anticipated, with consequent loss of buoyancy.

Pending the provision of additional appliances and more favourable weather, the salvage craft had been temporarily withdrawn to Liverpool.—Reuter.

### Salvage Plan

London, June 8.—It is understood that the Controller of the Navy is going to Birkenhead, to-night, to hold a conference with experts in order to see what plan should now be adopted in the salvaging of the *Thetis*.—Reuter.

## Born And Died In Hongkong

### Mrs. F. M. Leon Passes At Residence

MRS. FLORINDA MARIA LEON, who was born in Hongkong 66 years ago, and had lived here ever since, died early this morning at her residence No. 8 Austin Avenue, after an illness of some months.

The widow of Mr. F. M. Leon, Mrs. Leon was, before her marriage, Miss F. M. Silva, and was especially well-known in Kowloon. She leaves two sons and three daughters to mourn their loss. They are Mr. C. A. Leon, Mr. F. L. Leon, Mrs. J. S. Rodriguez, Mrs. C. E. Vas, and Mrs. B. J. Yip.

The funeral will take place this afternoon, when the cortège will pass the Monument at 5.30.

# Spinsters Wins to Aid Babies Child Farming Bill Passed

A MIDDLE-AGED spinster recently saw passed through the House of Commons her Adoption of Children (Regulation) Bill, which will safeguard the welfare of thousands of fatherless British children.

M.P.s congratulated her, then rose to return to their homes for a week-end with their wives and children. She went back to her spinster apartment in Warwick-square, S.W.

Mrs Florence Horsbrugh, Cons. M.P. for Dundee, was happy that other people's babies were going to be cared for because of her. That was sufficient.

#### NO PENSION FOR HER

Mrs Horsbrugh is not interested in agitating for a pension because she has no husband.

She takes the train to Dundee and watches the little worries of her constituents. In 1931, Dundee returned her to Parliament. Her one claim to fame was her canteen war work, for which she received the M.D.E.

She quickly became one of the House's most respected members—partly because her deep, soft voice and charming manners made her easy to listen to, largely because she was always sure of her facts, always brought with her proof of what she stated.

In 1937 she passed her first Bill through Parliament—a Bill to control the sale of methylated spirits in Scotland and thus reduce alcoholic poisoning. She watched addicts, saw their reactions, then gave the House a first-hand picture.

#### £600 FOR A CHILD

When she introduced her baby adoption Bill, she amazed the House with her statistics of prices paid for British children by organisers of baby farming rackets in this country.

She asked them whether her statistics bored them, whether they would like her to sit down. The reply was, "No, go on, go on."

She told them, "I have actually held in my hands a price list of



Juan Negrin, former Loyalist Premier of Spain, as he arrived in New York and predicted that the Spanish people would not long submit to the Franco Government. He was en route to Mexico to arrange for admission of Loyalist refugees now in France. He formerly was a University of Madrid physician and professor.

children. They were 'catalogued' at £500, £600, and other large sums. In one case, a child advertised at £550 fetched £150."

This Bill, when it becomes law, will tighten up the regulations governing the adoption of children by providing for their proper supervision by welfare authorities. It will be illegal for any but a registered adoption society or local authority to take charge of children.

#### TIPPED FOR OFFICE

Mrs Horsbrugh, severely practical, will not talk freely about her Bill until it is safely through the Lords—"You never know what may happen there," she says.

Conservatives are now tipping her for office. She is the only woman member with two Bills to her credit, and she is one of the most trusted and hardworking people in the House.

So far she has been honoured by being asked to move the Address to the King in 1938 and by receiving the C.B.E. last year.

She herself says that she will be glad to take a back seat now and watch others introducing Bills. But she will be busy again, thinking out another Bill which will benefit John Citizen and his wife and children.

That is why she became an M.P.

## Quins' Father Suing Dafoe

New York.  
OLIVIA DIONNE, father of the Quintuplets, recently at Collingwood, Ontario, filed a sensational libel suit against their physician, Dr. Dafoe.

Dionne is demanding damages from the doctor alleging that the latter made lewd references to Dionne's fertility while being initiated into the New York society called Circus Saints and Sinners last April.

Named with Dionne as plaintiffs are Mrs. Dionne and the Quintuplets themselves. Damages are asked for publication by the defendant to a large audience at a club, where the defendant appeared dressed in garb on which was plainly and visibly marked "Doctor of Litters."

#### THE MEDICINE BAG

It is also alleged that Dafoe produced a medicine bag on which was written "Dr. Dafoe delivers."

Dionne said: "We delayed filing the suit so as not to embarrass the King and Queen yesterday."

"We were humiliated by articles

describing Dafoe's initiation into the club. Even if our children are a subject for court jesting to him, they're a miracle of God to us. Imagining how the Quins will feel when they understand what 'Doctor of Litters' means."

**Woman Who  
Had 50 Hats**

A detective who arrested a young woman for shoplifting said that when he went to her room he found a collection of 50 hats.

"They ranged in price from £1 1s. to £7 7s." he added.

The woman, Cynthia Roberts, aged 29, a cashier, of Belgrave-road, S.W., was sentenced at Westminster recently to three months' imprisonment in the second division for stealing a hat and beads, valued at £5 1s. 3d., from a West end store.

Three similar offences involving two hats and a coatee were taken into consideration.

#### LOST FRIEND

Detective Murray said that when he stopped Roberts she declared, "All the excuses for shoplifting are worn threadbare."

She was bound over last September for shoplifting.

Mr. H. E. Park, defending, said that a year ago a man with whom Roberts had been friendly for 11 years suddenly left her. The shock affected her. She had a good job.

"I am prepared to admit she is a woman of unusual temperament," declared the magistrate Mr. Ronald Powell.

# Fight

## Fleet Air Arm News

Col. Llewellyn, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, stated recently in the House of Commons that the R.A.F. stations at Lee-on-the-Solent, Ford, Worthy Down, Donibristle, and Bermuda would be transferred as from to-day to the Admiralty for the use of the Fleet Air Arm.

It was intended, he added, that the Admiralty should also take over at an early date the R.A.F. establishments at Lympne and Southampton. The administrative control of the Fleet Air Arm will also be transferred to the Admiralty to-day.

This is the logical outcome of the decision on control of the Fleet Air Arm reached by the Government in July, 1937. The Prime Minister then announced that ship-borne aircraft would be placed under the complete control of the Admiralty, but that all shore-based planes, including flying-boats and other aircraft used in co-operation with naval forces, would continue under the control of the Air Ministry.

#### NAVY'S VIEW

He indicated at the same time that the Admiralty would be permitted to have the necessary shore establishments for the training of its own pilots.

It has been frequently urged in naval circles that all aircraft used for naval co-operation, whether ship-borne or shore-based, should be under Admiralty control, and that the Navy should have a separate air force, self-sufficient for its needs.

On the other hand, R.A.F. experts have pointed out that the country cannot afford to provide and maintain two great air forces, one intended primarily for home and overseas defence and the other earmarked for the exclusive use of the Navy. No other country, except the United States, maintains an exclusively naval air service as strong as our own Fleet Air Arm.

It is said, therefore, that the proper solution to the problem lies in closer co-operation between the defence services; and that if the time comes when the Navy requires the support of large numbers of shore-based aircraft, as, for instance, during a fleet action within flying range of these shores, this must be afforded by R.A.F. aircraft, whose pilots must be trained to operate with equal facility over land or sea.

#### V.C. IN CHARGE OF STATIONS

The Admiralty announced recently that Rear-Adm. Richard Bell Davies, V.C., had been appointed as Rear-Admiral in charge of naval air stations.

Rear Adm. Bell Davies received the V.C. for bravery in an air attack on Ferrilijk Junction, Thrace, in 1916. During the war he commanded a number of aircraft units. Later he was in charge of the naval air section at the Admiralty, and from 1931 to 1933 he was lent to the Air Ministry for staff duties.

The personnel of the Fleet Air Arm will eventually be provided exclusively by the Navy. R.A.F. officers and airmen will be withdrawn as the new naval personnel are trained.



John Bennett, first movie star to visit the New York Fair, looks over caricatures of movie celebrities made from egg shells, at "Strange As It Seems" exhibits. "Good eggs—all of 'em," she said.

## Admiral Crippled Sues Lance-Corporal

AN ADMIRAL, once a keen athlete and big game hunter, but now crippled by injuries received in a crash between his car and an Army tank, claimed damages at Wiltshire Assizes at Salisbury recently from a lance-corporal.

Admiral Sir (Allen) Thomas Hunt, of Byne House, Warminster (Wilts), was joined in the action by his wife, Lady (Dorothy) Hunt.

They sued Lance-Corporal P. W. Wilkinson, of the 3rd Battalion, Royal Tank Regiment, who was driving the tank at Warminster on November 15 last year when there was a collision.

#### BOY BITTEN BY ADDER

An adder bit eighteen-year-old George Ward on one of his fingers as he sat on the South Downs near Brighton recently.

Ward, who lives at Clifton-street, Brighton, ran a mile to Putchen village, and became unconscious. He was taken to hospital, and treated with serum. Early to-day his condition was said to be satisfactory.

The adder, the only venomous snake in England, has a zig-zag mark down the back with a black V on the head.

## World's Buttons Collected

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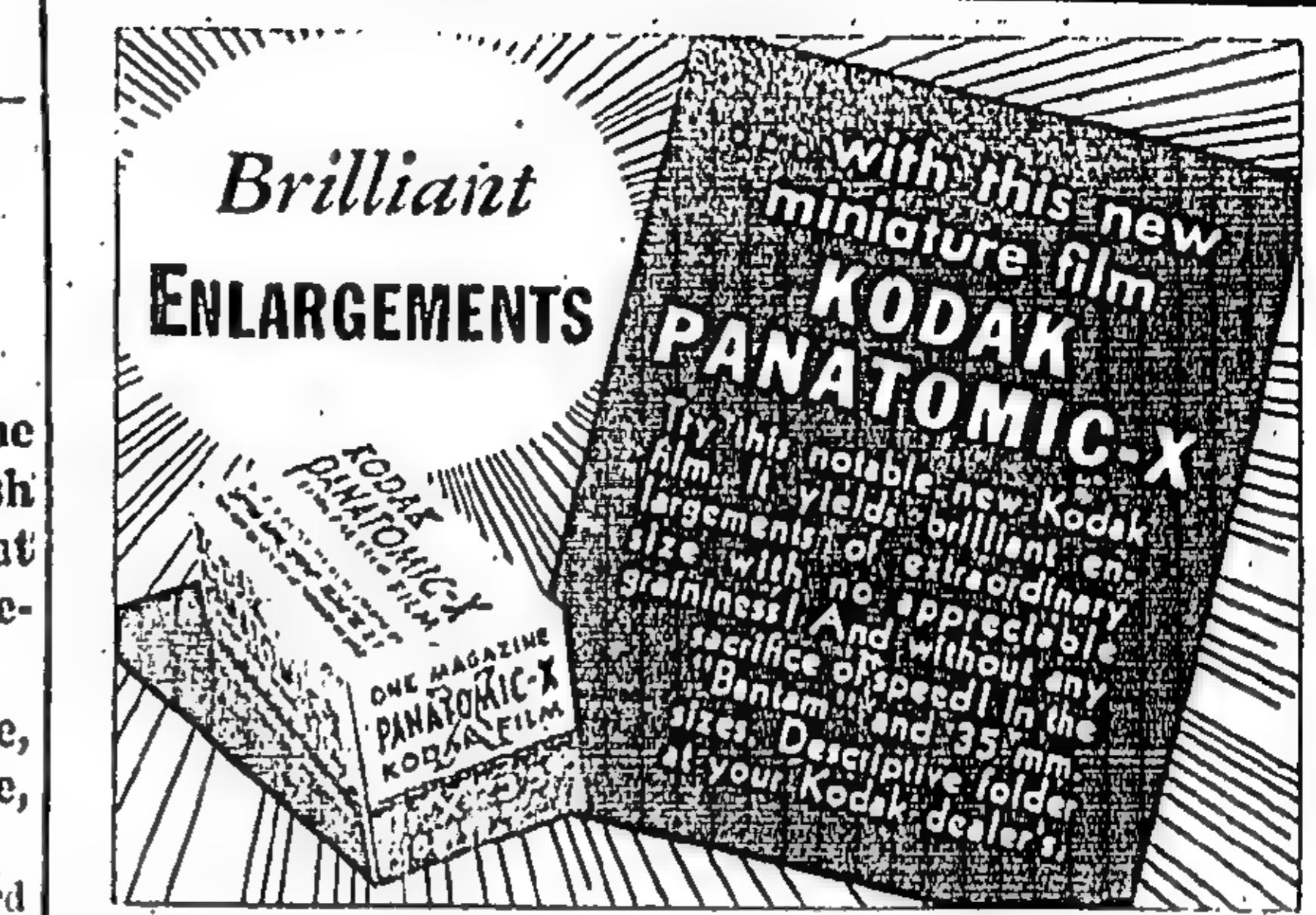
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# Peter, £3,000-a-Year Club Host, Sentenced ONCE A WAITER



"SAD about Peter, isn't it?" was the question heard in West End night clubs recently.

Peter Edward Mazzina, best-known of the young men running the business of London's night-life, had been sent to prison for three months earlier in the day at Bow-street. Mazzina, 36-year-old ex-waiter who rose to be £3,000-a-year managing director of the Ambassador Club, W., was convicted of having obtained credit without disclosing that he was an undischarged bankrupt.

He gave notice of appeal and was released on bail.

Mazzina, born in London, was 13 when he ran away from the Mercers' School, crossed to France, and got a waiter's job at the Ritz Hotel, Paris. Less than two years after, he returned to London to work in West End hotels.

When he was 23 the Ambassador Club, luxurious with its clientele of royalty and the rich, lost its man-

ager, M. Rizzl, who was killed in an air crash.

## LUCK TURNED

Mazzina raised capital, reopened the club under his own management, and maintained its reputation. He flew from one Continental capital to another in search of cabaret artists.

In the next ten years he took part in other ventures—the Deepdene Hotel, Dorking, and the Bristol Grill.

His luck turned and he was adjudicated bankrupt more than two years ago. His cash assets were stated to be £1 11s.

In the court Detective-Sergeant Freeman said, "There is no doubt that Mazzina is the Millionaire Club, Cork-street, W. People have looked on him as such."

Mr. Anthony Dunkels, defending, declared, "Mazzina is a respectable man. No allegation can be made against the Millionaire Club.

"Throughout there has been no suggestion of fraud."

Norman Armour, career diplomat, now Ambassador to Chile, returned by President Roosevelt to Argentina. He will succeed Alexander W. Weddell, who has been appointed Ambassador to Spain.

## Call For World Faith And Prayer

MR. CHAMBERLAIN stressed the need for world-wide faith and prayer when he addressed the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland in Edinburgh recently.

Describing himself as "a man who has been striving night and day with all his might and main, in spite of many discouragements to keep the peace of Europe," Mr. Chamberlain said that he had sought to do something more—"to remove that fear of the danger of war and that sense of insecurity which to-day is oppressing the hearts of millions of the people."

He could not say with how much satisfaction he had read the churches call to prayer.

### THEIR DAILY PRAYER

"We recognise," he said, "that the troubles of to-day cannot be cured by arms of armaments. We have to go further and deeper than that, and I have no doubt that there will be a wide response to your call for prayer."

"I get a great many letters in these days; they come to my wife."

At this point the audience cheered Mrs. Chamberlain, who was seated in the throne gallery.

Continuing, the Premier said that the letters were from people of many different creeds, even of different races, and they told of daily prayer for the success of their efforts for peace.

### THE ULTIMATE POWER

Faith was the one thing common to all religions. It constituted a

spiritual force which could not be measured in physical terms.

There was the task for the Church to mobilise that faith with the spiritual force and to keep clear before the people the fundamental principles which must govern human relations.

"If they (the churches) do that," said the Premier, "there may well be the ultimate power which will eventually lead the nations and their rulers to try to be good neighbours."

Before the Assembly opened Mr. Chamberlain drove in State with the Lord High Commissioner, Sir John Gilmour, from the Palace of Holyrood House to the Assembly House through cheering crowds.

## Refugees Join The Salvation Army

Czech refugees who are staying in Margate heard the local Salvation Army band playing in the streets. They could not speak English and the Salvationists could not speak German.

But since then hundreds of refugees have regularly attended the Salvation Army services. A special officer of the Army, who can speak German, is to be posted to Margate. An official of the "Army" said: "Some of the Czechs have visited our headquarters in Prague, and knew about our work. But most of them were attracted here by the band."

Bees' Life Hard In Canada

Healdsburg, Cal.

Bees that go into the honey-making business in Canada get a tough break in life. Canadian apiculturists have found it is cheaper to destroy their swarms at the end of each honey-gathering season, replacing them each year with new swarms from California, than it is to feed the insects artificially during the winter months.

## Burma-China Railway

London.

The railway from Kunming to Burma was the subject of a question in the House of Commons recently. Sir A. Wilson asked the Prime Minister whether he is aware that the necessary earthwork for the railway from Kunming towards the Burma frontier is for some miles beyond Kunming is already complete; and whether he can state to what point it is intended to carry it and when the Chinese Government expect to have trains running?

The Prime Minister: My Noble Friend is informed that embankment work in the direction stated is proceeding. He has received no communication from the Chinese Government in regard to their intentions in the matters referred to in the second and third parts of the question.

## New Airplane Does 450 m.p.h.

THREE Britons, a millionaire, an engineer and a pilot, have produced what they claim is the simplest warplane ever invented.

This plane, on its first public demonstration recently dived at 450 m.p.h. over Heston Airport, then roared round the flying ground doing the tightest turns ever done by a high-speed monoplane.

The three men are, millionaire Mr. Francis Francis, who has spent many thousands of pounds perfecting the machine, Mr. James Martin, who designed and built it, and fifty-year-old Valentine Baker, famous flying instructor until he became too old for the job.

They claim that the Martin-Baker fighter, built after seven years' research, is so simple in construction that unskilled workers could build parts all over the country for assembly at a central factory.

Pilot Baker pushed the 1,000 horse-power nose of the fighter vertically down 10,000 feet over the airport, and screamed it earthwards.

### GREATEST TEST

James Martin and Mr. Francis Francis, shading their eyes, watched the gauntlet-fighter plummeting down to the greatest strength test possible for a plane.

The veteran flier, doing the job of man half his age, wearing only a light helmet to protect his ears, dragged the heavy all-steel piano out of its dive two seconds before it would have buried itself in the ground.

Amateur pilot Francis Francis-Baker taught him to fly—watched the camouflaged machine settling down after a display that brought a storm of applause from expert pilots. He said: "It has been worth everything I've spent on it."

Designer Martin said: "It's the simplest thing ever built. I can take a wing off in twenty minutes with a spanner. I can take a gun out of the wing in one minute."

And test pilot Baker, grinning shyly as he tossed his helmet to a mechanic, said: "Had to ease her down to 300 m.p.h. to pull out of the dive. The clock only goes up to 400 m.p.h., and the needle was hard against the stop."

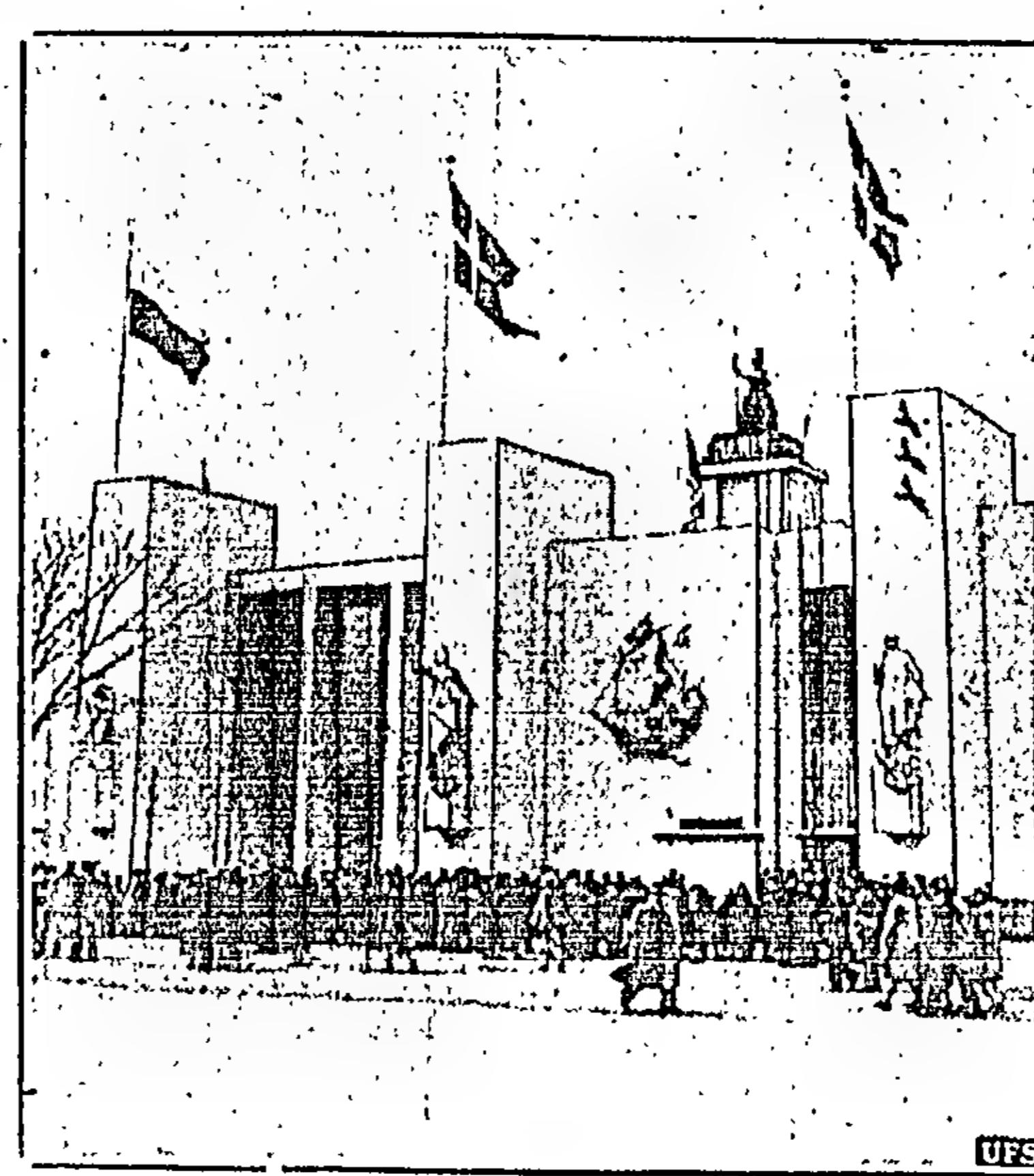
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## Conscription: £5 For Not Registering

MEN at Home between the ages of 20 and 21 who had to register from June 3, under the military training scheme, went to their nearest labour exchanges at different hours, according to the first letter of their surnames, as follows:

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B. to C. between 2 and 3.

C. to D. between 3 and 4.

D. to E. between 4 and 5.

E. to F. between 5 and 6.

F. to G. between 6 and 7.

G. to H. between 7 and 8.

H. to I. between 8 and 9.30.

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J. to K. between 10.30 and 11.30.

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M. to N. between 1.30 and 2.30.

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(Continued from Page 1.)

terests—and by that I mean the interests of British subjects as well as material interests—are recorded due respect, and the treaty provisions, which have been in more than one direction called into question by Japanese action, are, as far as we can secure, respected.

"I can assure the House that we shall do everything in our power in conjunction with other Powers to pursue that policy.

China Was Pleased!

"Lord Snell referred to what recently passed with regard to China at Geneva, and was good enough to say that he had formed a particularly unfavourable judgment of the quality of sympathy in my speech when the matter came before the Council. Dr. Wellington Koo formed a different view, and when he spoke he thanked me for the sympathy with which I had spoken of the Chinese appeal.

Therefore Lord Snell will forgive me if I say that my conscience isn't particularly wrung by his re-proaches."—Reuter.

Dealing with the question of negotiations with other countries, Viscount Halifax said that Britain had endeavoured to take account of the special situation of each country with whom it had been in contact, and was trying to make a practical approach to a practical problem.

"The House will understand that I cannot give detailed particulars of the discussions now in progress."

Poland And Britain

Regarding Poland, Viscount Halifax recalled the declaration made by Mr. Chamberlain in agreement with the Polish Foreign Minister on April 6, and he added that by that declaration the assurance given to the government of Poland was made reciprocal, and I hope that a permanent agreement between the two countries will shortly be concluded.

"Our assurances to Rumania and Greece are unilateral in form, and at present require no further definition. These assurances will operate as in the case of Poland if there should be a clear threat to the independence of Rumania or Greece which the Rumanian or Greek governments respectively consider it vital to resist with their national forces."

Turkey's Agreement

Regarding Turkey, the first stage of the negotiations was brought to a successful conclusion on May 12.

Recalling the declaration made by the Government with regard to the agreement reached, Viscount Halifax said that further consultations for which the declaration provided, were being actively pursued "and I hope in a very little time to announce to the House that they have been successfully completed" (Cheers).

"The attitude and friendly co-operation of the Turkish Government adopted throughout the discussions has been a source of very great satisfaction to the Government and the whole country, and is the best augury for the consolidation of peace in the Mediterranean area and South-Eastern Europe.

Departure In Policy

After recalling the Government's decision to send a Foreign Office representative to Moscow to accelerate negotiations, Viscount Halifax said that the action of the British Government during the last few weeks represented a significant departure in British foreign policy.

Viscount Halifax, referring to the general situation, said that above all we must be sensible of the extreme importance of doing our utmost to understand the viewpoint of other nations, and to get them to understand our own.

"I am encouraged by Signor Mussolini's speech at Turin, when he said millions are asking whether we are on the road to war and he declared there were no questions justifying war, but if these problems are to be resolved by negotiation, there must be goodwill on both sides and a readiness to make allowances for the viewpoint of others.

"There must be conviction on both sides that the word of the other will be kept.

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War Not Unavoidable

In concluding, Viscount Halifax said that he did not share the view that war was unavoidable. There were complicated problems in Europe only too likely to lead to war, if roughly handled, and there were men who have it in their sole power to precipitate a conflict.

"If the issue were ever to be joined I have no doubt at all about the ultimate outcome, whatever may be the varying fortunes of war or the duration of the struggle.

"I find it very difficult to believe however, that with the certain prospect of resistance with the awareness of the fearful consequences that must follow, and with the knowledge of the desire of all peoples for peace, and the readiness of all peoples to see matters settled by negotiation, that those who might feel tempted to risk an arbitration war, would not feel if they might once convince themselves of the good faith of those with whom they have to deal, that it would be wiser and more probable to receive the negotiation, the difficulties which inevitably arise in the adjusting of claims and the satisfying of the needs of a constantly changing world."—Reuter.

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### DEATH

LEON.—Florinda Maria Leon at her residence, 8 Austin Avenue, Kowloon, at 2.45 a.m. on June 9, 1939, after an illness, aged 66. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Shanghai, Manila and Macao papers please copy). (No flowers by request).

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### Currency

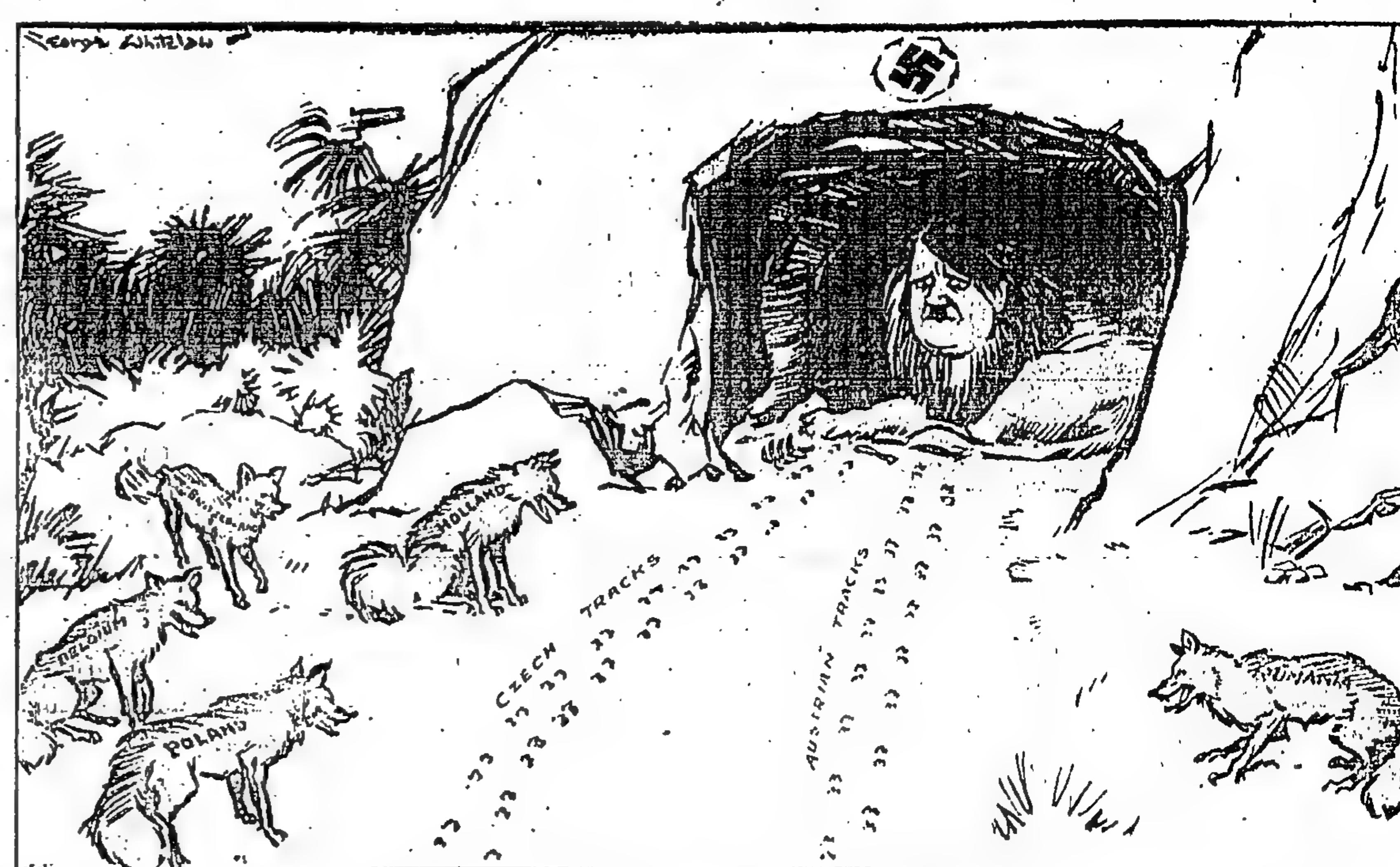
ANY JAPANESE hopes that the fall in rate of the Chinese dollar presaged a currency collapse appear to have been doomed by the revelation that the Stabilisation Fund has deliberately allowed the rate to fall to a better economic level and will re-enter the market possibly to-day.

Actually, the Chinese dollar has for some time shown a stability which in the present state of affairs is little short of astounding and in the unofficial markets in both Shanghai and Hongkong has been freely quoted at a premium over the Japanese yen. For "some" months after the outbreak of war even the normal rate of 14 pence was held without great difficulty until the Japanese attempts to force into circulation the notes of their puppet Reserve Bank in North China compelled the Chinese Government to institute some restriction on exchange. Thereafter, the market quotations for the Chinese dollar steadily slumped to just over eight pence, but at that point the currency has been freely convertible into foreign exchange.

Exactly what is the state of the Chinese trade balance it is now almost impossible to say. Statistics for the first quarter of 1939 indicate that the adverse balance is somewhere between £7,000,000 and £9,000,000, but these figures need not be taken too seriously, for so much trade now passes through channels which scarcely fall within the purview of the statistician.

The sterling resources of the Stabilisation Fund have been provided by the two Chinese Government banks and two Hongkong British banks, the establishment of the fund being made possible by the indispensable financial guarantee of the British Government. To lend its credit in this way is, indeed, the very least that the Government could do. British financial interests in China for outweigh those of any other Power, and indeed those of all other countries together. Though Britain's trade with China is only a small proportion of the motherland's total trade, it is by no means insignificant—the total was £10,491,000 last year and £14,161,000 in 1937 before the country was ravaged by Japan. And in the aggregate British capital in China certainly exceeds £200 millions and may be £300 millions.

China, therefore, is almost a member of the sterling bloc; and any threat to the Chinese dollar from the establishment of the yuan can now have little importance. The Japanese can have no legitimate cause for complaint. One could wish that the opposite were true. Not merely our own interests, but common decency also demand that Britain should continue to support China against the wanton and brutal aggression of Japan. Financial aid should not be allowed to rest until Britain has done its uttermost to help China defend herself (and incidentally our own interests) against the menace of Japanese domination.



The FOXES: "Strange! There are no tracks leading out!"

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# What Stalin's children are taught at school

kens's "David Copperfield," of holidays in the country, of adventure stories with animals, of the tales of Jules Verne.

There is no summarising the endless variety of books now finding their way into the school libraries. I asked some of the younger children their favourite English authors. "Dickens and Rudyard Kipling," they said.

When Russians want to start anything new they find or invent a story to illustrate the idea. Every Russian schoolchild knows by heart a legend that has been circulated about Kirov, Bolshevik leader of Leningrad. He was assassinated fifteen months ago. Before his death he did a great deal of work for education, so he has since been made a kind of patron saint of schoolchildren.

The story goes that when a child at school Kirov was asked by his playmates to allow them to crib from him. He refused to do it, but instead this worthy little boy helped them to do the work for themselves. Framed in large letters across Russian schoolrooms is the moral of the tale: "I shall not allow you to copy, but I will help you."

**Story With A Moral**

There is no evidence that this story is true, and no particular reason why it should be. It belongs to the same species as "Bruce and the Spider" and "George Washington never told a lie."

It serves its purpose. It underlines for the Russian child the Government's present attitude towards education. He must learn to do individual work, not depend on some one else doing it for him.

Stalin has most pronounced views on education. He is the terror of his more romantic colleagues. He has made a clean sweep of all the fantastic theories that were crippling the schools a few years ago. He insists on matter and methods that are thoroughly practical. He wants the younger generation that will enable them later in life to handle high power modern machinery with a technical efficiency sadly lacking among their elders.

**Parents Are Puzzled**

In this the children are his ardent supporters. They are crazy about model airplanes and engines and love playing about with chemical and electrical apparatus. Many of their parents look on, bewildered by the things their children know.

Stalin has declared war on technical inefficiency. It is in the schoolroom that he expects to have his greatest victories.

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## AMERICA'S WARM WELCOME FOR KING AND QUEEN

Their Majesties the King and Queen crossed from Canada into American territory at Niagara Falls at 9.40 p.m. on Wednesday and were there greeted by Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, the British Ambassador and other officials.

Twenty minutes later the Royal party continued their train journey to Washington where the greatest excitement and interest prevails over the much-publicised visit of British Royalty to the premier city of the New World.

Plans of Mrs. Roosevelt to invite experts on social problems of America to a tea party in the White House with the King and Queen indicate that apart from the social aspect of the occasion, the contact with America will bring Their Majesties into close relation with the life and problems of the country.

## ATTACK ON DUCHESS

### Lawlor Is "Lonely-Like" Says His Pal

London, June 8. "I cannot understand what the fuss is all about," is a remark made by Ledwidge Vincent Lawlor, who was arrested in connection with a shot allegedly fired at the Duchess of Kent, according to his fellow lodger, Mike Cannon, who visited him this morning at Brixton Prison.

Cannon told a correspondent, "I went to Brixton Prison with a couple of letters for Lawlor and asked him what he wanted to be there with a gun for. Lawlor said he had no intention of shooting and it was quite an accident. He seemed to think it was quite in order having a gun as he said he had a licence. When he was in Australia he always carried a gun."

"I questioned Lawlor regarding a Communist with whom he used to be familiar, but Lawlor replied that he had nothing to do with Communists.

"I mentioned that people were talking of an Irish Republican Army connection, but Lawlor said he had nothing to do with it. In fact he hardly knew what the I.R.A. meant."

Cannon confirmed that Lawlor while working at Waterloo Bridge lost a tin box containing six £1 notes from his pocket, after which he wrote to the Bank of England thinking it would make good the loss.

"I just took him a letter from the Bank of England and also one concerning his pension from the Australian forces," said Cannon. "If you will see him as I saw him I think you will hold the same opinion as me that he is lonely-like."—United Press.

## Another Tientsin Ultimatum

Tientsin, June 8. It is understood that as the result of yesterday morning's conference, the representatives of the Japanese authorities concerned agreed to proceed with their "original policy" in dealing with the local situation in disregard of the British counter-communication regarding the disposal of Chinese criminals allegedly arrested in the British Concession.

The Japanese authorities reportedly understand that the British communication on Tuesday was tantamount to virtual recognition of the Japanese requests, including the transfer of the assassins of Mr. Cheng Hsi-keng, former Chinese customs superintendent at Tientsin and chief of the Tientsin branch of the Federal Reserve Bank.

They point out that the criminals whom the British authorities decided to extradite, were not directly connected with the Japanese requests.

As the British authorities have allegedly failed to effect co-operation with the Japanese in settling the local situation, the Japanese authorities are understood to be contemplating "independent measures."—Domei.

### Isolating Concession

Tokyo, June 8. In anticipation of possible measures to be taken by the Japanese following the alleged rupture in the negotiations with the British authorities, Japanese business men chartering the piers and godowns in the British and French Concessions in Tientsin have started removal of about 50,000 tons of goods.

The harbour facilities used by Japanese interests in the foreign concessions will be transferred to the Special Administrative District downstream—from the concessions, while Japanese concerns, including the Yokohama Specie Bank, the Mitsubishi Trading Company, and the Federal Reserve Bank are prepared to remove their offices from the British and French Concessions to other parts of Tientsin.

Another message from Tientsin says that the "force of circumstances" apparently means the Japanese authorities will cut off the British Concession from the outside world. The message adds that the entire Japanese colony in Tientsin is solidly upholding the decision of the Japanese authorities.—Domei.

### Further Ultimatum

Shanghai, June 8. It is authoritatively learned that the Japanese have presented a further ultimatum to the authorities in the British Concession in Tientsin and threaten to erect a barrier as well as take other steps to completely isolate the Concession unless the four Chinese allegedly involved

## OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

### War Risk Down

Tokyo, June 8. With peace and order steadily returning to the Yangtze area, Japanese insurance companies have decided to lower by about 60 per cent, the war risk rates on cargoes shipped to Yangtze ports.

The new rates, effective immediately, are 12.5 sen per 100 yen on cargo aboard ships plying between Kuklakang and below, 20 sen for ports between Tach (inclusive) and Kuklakang (exclusive) and 30 sen for ports between Hankow (inclusive) and Tach.—Domei.

### COLONIAL POLICY

#### Home Government Plan For Improvement

London, June 8. "Great Britain achieved a triumph success in her rule of the Dominions," declared Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in the House of Commons to-day when introducing the Colonial Office estimates.

The King smilingly thanked Mr. Hull and then Mrs. Hull said: "It is a great honour for me to meet and greet you."

The ceremony lasted seven minutes with the distinguished party spending a few moments chatting before escaping from the flood-lit platform.

Mr. MacKenzie King, the Canadian Premier, jumped off the moving train as it arrived at the station and hurried back to be on hand when the King descended. The King's two gentlemen in waiting, Lord Eldon and Earl Airlie, also jumped off the train but were prevented from reaching the King's side by troops who ignored their explanations.

Before leaving, the Queen took a long look at the Falls on the Canadian side but she decided not to visit the Tunnel of the Winds below. She was chiefly engrossed in the Falls as Canadian officials pointed out other scenic points.—United Press.

### Cordial Reception

Washington, June 8.

Two gigantic locomotives maintained express speed throughout the night and this morning in order to bring Their Majesties to Washington by 4 a.m. G.M.T., where President and Mrs. Roosevelt and a crowd estimated at 600,000 are awaiting them at the station. The Royal visitors will probably arrive in the midst of a sweltering heat wave.

When the King and Queen arrived on American soil, Mr. Cordell Hull greeted them with the following words, "On behalf of the Government and people of the United States, I have the honour and pleasure in extending you our warmest welcome. All are delighted at your visit. The people of my country, in a most genuine spirit of cordiality, hospitality and friendliness, have every desire to make your stay a thoroughly enjoyable one."

"Are we going to be equally justified in the government of the Colonial Empire?" asked Mr. Macdonald, and went on to say that in most Colonial territories the British were still to a greater or lesser degree trustees and guardians. The British, who had thrust upon them so many great responsibilities, had no responsibility greater than that of governing the Colonial Empire.

It was highly desirable that there should be regular contact between men on the spot and members of the Colonial Office, and here Mr. Macdonald mentioned the journey of Lord Hailey and his colleagues, the compilation of the African survey and the Bledisloe commission which visited Rhodesia and Nyasaland. There was also the visit of the Moyne Commission to the West Indies.

### Conscious Of Duty

Mr. Macdonald declared that we had got to be more conscious than ever "before" of "our duty" to the Colonies. We had to push forward with the work of giving the Colonies adequate social services. Government's primary object in the Colonies was not the advancement of the self-interests of people in the British Isles, but the general advancement in the best interests of the peoples in the Colonies themselves.

The conspicuous loyalty of the people of the Colonies was an eloquent testimony to their own particular comfort in their association with the United Kingdom.

"But there is no room for complacency about our achievements," Mr. Macdonald continued, "We have got to be more conscious than ever before of our duty to the Colonies."

Mr. Macdonald gave some illustrations of the way in which the Government is actively pursuing its policy of improving the lot of the Colonial peoples. He mentioned that the governments of Trinidad and Northern Rhodesia had given a good example of the way in which the native Colonial Governments could take part in this work. These Governments had got their legislatures to accept five-year plans for social and economic development.

Mr. Macdonald outlined the measures taken to improve health conditions in the Colonies and, dealing with the Government's policy with regard to labour, he referred to the creation and extension of Labour departments and the regularising of some Colonies of trade unions.

### Labour Conditions

He was certain that the extension of government activity in this field would result in the avoidance of many industrial clashes during this critical time in the development of the Colonies, and would be a great help in bringing about improved labour conditions.

Their Majesties will linger in a two-story frame house overlooking a 1,000-acre estate on the Hudson River. Mrs. Roosevelt plans a "dog picnic" in the President's "Dream Cottage" on top of Dutchess Hill.

Their Majesties, President and Mrs. Roosevelt, and 80 others will attend services at St. James Episcopal Church, Hyde Park, conducted by the Rev. Frank R. Wilson, after which they will return to the estate.

The British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lumsden, recently told the Press that Their Majesties have eaten hot dogs before "under other circumstances, and not under that name."—United Press.

In the assassination of Cheng Shikang, are handed over within two days.—Reuter.

## CHINESE DOLLAR: STABILISATION FUND STRONGER

The strengthening of the Chinese National Currency Stabilisation Fund was indicated yesterday in an authoritative statement issued to the Press concerning the slump of the Yuan.

The statement pointed out that there has been no pressure on the Fund and confidence in the currency remains unshaken. It was also disclosed that arrangements have been completed so that the Government requirements of foreign exchange for munitions and other supplies will not come on the market.

According to a Shanghai report the exchanges were firm yesterday.

Japanese reports claim that with the tightening of the blockade of the China coast nullifying the foreign trade of the Stabilisation Fund has already been reduced by £1,000,000.

The Times in London ridicules rumours that the Fund has lost the greater part of its sterling resources.

The following authoritative statement was issued to the S. C. M. Post yesterday:

"As is generally known, during the past weeks, there has been no pressure on the Stabilisation Fund, and confidence in the national currency remains unshaken. The Control, however, temporarily withdrew support on Wednesday to allow the exchange value of the dollar to be adjusted to a better economic level, and thereby to bring the balance of trade into equilibrium. As will be remembered, a similar step was taken during June 1938, and when the level of 8d was found it was successfully maintained for twelve months."

"It is confidently believed that the new level has now been found and can be strongly held. Many goods previously imported are now being made "at home." The Invaluable harvest foreshadowed by all reports will also contribute towards reduced imports. Arrangements have been completed so that Government requirements of foreign exchange for munitions and other supplies have been taken care of and will not come onto the exchange market. Finally, as the Stabilisation Fund has been strengthened and further efforts to broaden the basis of this Fund have been successful, the ability of the authorities to maintain the exchange will not be questioned."

"It is further emphasised that despite the present adjustment in the exchange level, the national currency will continue to retain the confidence of the people because its free convertibility is at all times assured."

### Exchanges Firm

Shanghai, June 8. The exchanges were firm this morning and an amount of business was done at intermediate rates between 7½d. and 8d. for sterling.

From the lower level of 8d. the market rose to 8½d. on rumours that the Control banks were selling and there was a certain amount of profit-taking.

Towards the close buyers again appeared and sterling eased to 8d.—Reuter.

### Good Shares In Demand

Shanghai, June 8. Conditions even more hectic than those witnessed yesterday were experienced on the stock market to-day.

The turnover reached enormous proportions and Monday's cash settlement will be the heaviest ever recorded since the abolition of forward business.

It is again difficult to select special stocks for mention, but it is quite safe to say that the majority rose from five to 10 per cent, though profit-taking finally resulted in most gains being reduced by half.

It is interesting to note how today's purchases of stocks and shares have become the favourite method adopted for protection of capital, and that the public shows less inclination for purchase of foreign exchange.

The impression is strong that \$35 for one pound sterling or \$8 for one United States dollar is not the best or cheapest form of capital protection, and that purchases of rubber shares or leading industrial counters will provide both profit and insurance.

While a superficial impression indicates that some shares may have advanced too rapidly, a careful study shows that in the case of good rubber companies (large units with cheap costs) the rise in their values has by no means kept pace with the depreciation of currency and there is much leeway that should be made up.

The outstanding movements today were in Ewos, Intasco, Teams and Kaiping, while in rubber Anglo-Javas, Kwoeowka, Swan Shores and Rubber Trusts appreciated sharply.

As a result of the very heavy business done for delivery on Monday next, and in order to cope with the settlements, the Committee of the Stock Exchange, as an exceptional measure, decided to open the market on Monday next for transaction of business at 2.30 p.m. instead of 9.30 a.m.—Reuter.

### Japanesco Comment

Shanghai, June 8. The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation announced at 10.30 o'clock this morning the selling rates of the Chinese legal tender as 6½d. and 12½c. U.S. dollars.

At the opening quotations to-day, the Yen stood at 7½d. and 16½c. U.S. dollars. The Yen was sold at 10½c. per 100 yuan and bought at 10½c.

The erratic behaviour of the dollar was reflected in gold bars which opened at 2,245 and soared to 2,440 by mid-morning, establishing an all time record, after which the trend reversed and the price fluctuated throughout, closing at 2,380. This compares with 2,098 at the opening yesterday.—Reuter.

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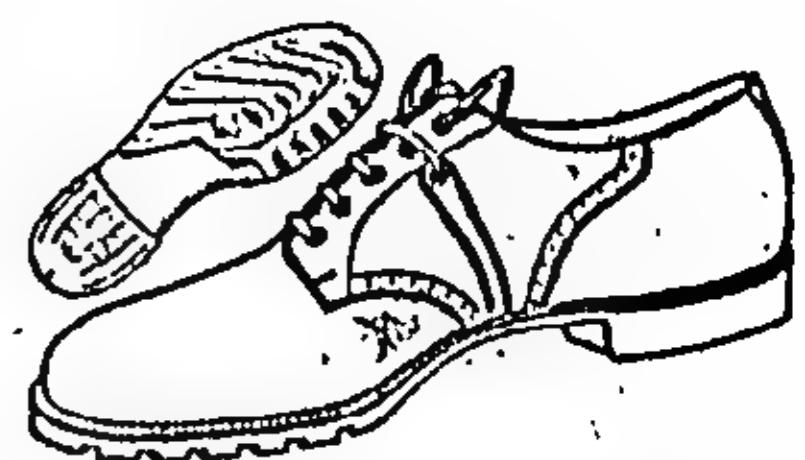
### Good Shares In Demand

Shanghai, June 8. The attempt to stabilise the Chinese national currency at 8d. to 8½d. has been abandoned, declares the Financial News dealing with the break in the Chinese dollar.

The decision to allow the exchange to fall was taken in view of the deterioration of China's trade balance and the recent big capital influx. This has caused heavy inroads into £5,000,000 reserves of the Stabilisation Fund, although there is no truth in the suggestions that these resources are nearly exhausted.—Reuter.

### Business Critical

Shanghai, June 8. The aged relief, "San Donato Madonna," which was kept for more than 400 years in the Delta Robbia family after its completion by Luca della Robbia, has been acquired by the Toledo Museum of Art.



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# FIRST HALF OF RACE SEASON ENDS TO-MORROW

## CHIEF INTEREST ON LANTAO HANDICAP EVENT TICKETS SELLING WELL IN DOLLAR SWEEP

(By "Captain Foster")

Chief interest at to-morrow's Sixth Extra Race Meeting under the auspices of the Hongkong Jockey Club will no doubt be centred in the Lantao Handicap for "D" class China ponies over the mile course. A special dollar cash sweep is being conducted on the event and at time of writing the sale of tickets is nearing the 140,000 mark, which guarantees the first prize to be over \$63,000.

After the running of the Lantao Handicap, which is the last contest on the programme, the Hongkong Jockey Club will draw the curtain for the first half season and there will be no more flat racing until September 23. Our Australian and China "dumb friends" will evacuate from Happy Valley for their summer recess and it has been reported that some owners have already made arrangements for their racers to spend the holidays at Fanning and Macao.

While on the subject, the Macao Jockey Club has circularised a special notice to their members announcing that they have acquired the service of Dr. J. Vidigal, a graduate of Lisbon University of Veterinary Science, and all ponies grazing in Macao will be under the care of this vet.

A most interesting feature of last Saturday's racing was Mr. Encarnacao's fine riding; he had four wins to his credit including a "hat trick," which was the first to be scored at Happy Valley this season. The honour of being champion jockey for the first half season cannot be taken from Mr. Encarnacao by any other as he is well ahead to the front with a total of 28 winning mounts. His nearest rival is Mr. Neddu, who has 16 wins and he is followed by Mr. Pih with nine successes.

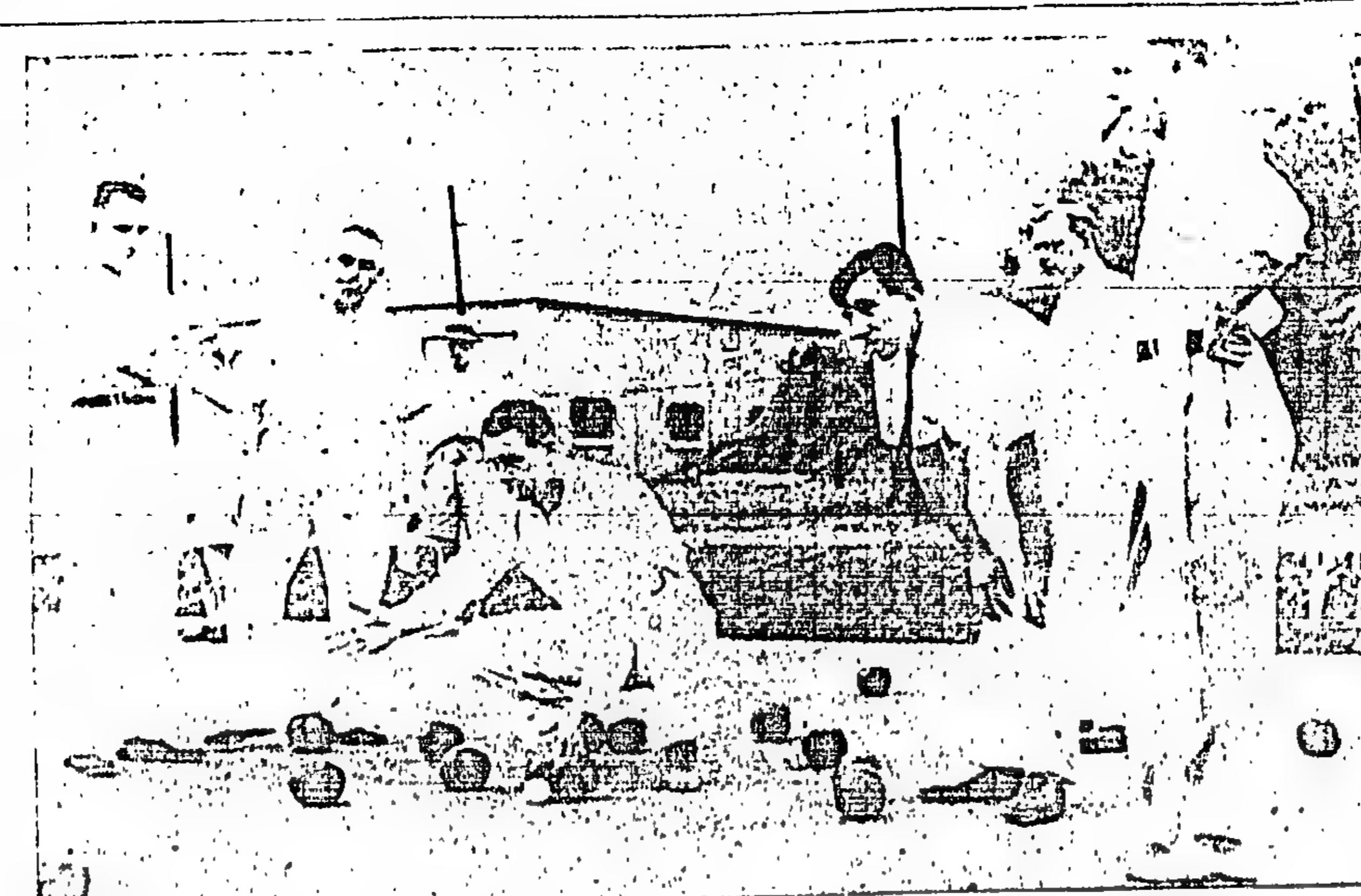
### CONSOLATION RACES

Those "jockeys in the stand" who have "gone down the sink" may be able to get some money back to-morrow, for there are nine alternative handicap events, practically all being consolation races. The absence of several good 'uns and public favourites will not in any way lower the standard of racing and punters are assured of a good day's sport with the usual thrills.

History was made in the betting last Saturday when the Manly Handicap for Australian "C" class ponies was selected by the followers of the turf as the best "kill" of the penultimate meeting. The winner (Annabella) had 1,428 tickets for win, the second pony (A Great Time) carried 1,064 and Twilight Star, who finished in the ruck, was backed to the tune of 1,049 tickets. The total chances taken for win amounted to 6,038 while for places the figure was 5,212 tickets. The two added together involved a turnover of \$60,750 which no doubt was a record. With the exception of A Great Time, barred from competing, all other entries will be seen in action in the Wallsend Handicap and I wonder whether the betting will again be raised to a fever heat.

### Rose Emily Ought To Win This

Very poor response has been received for the Yingtsze Handicap for China ponies griffins of this season in view of the embargo on winners. The run is over six furlongs and my fancy is Rose Emily to be followed by Galveston Bay and Peaceful View.



"Andy" Wright directing operations in a practice game this week at the Kowloon Cricket Club green while other players look on. F. E. Nash is on the right background of the picture.—Staff Photographer.

### First Half Mile Race For Aussies

First sizzling hell for the opening event, the Carpenteria Handicap for Australian ponies of this season, will be run at 1.30 p.m. and it may be of interest to know that the contest is the first sprint over half a mile since the introduction of these animals from Antipodes. The ban on winners of \$500 or more has brought forward a few lame-ducks and they are Flinders River, Loquacious and Turzan, all of whom have started only once. Southern Star did a lot of amish work during training and the mare has never appeared in public with the Kong Brothers' racing colours. With Janber and Baffin Bay out of the ruck, Ajax should have an easy passage to collect the first prize of \$600 stake money and with the Australian Jockey Mr. Raymond in the saddle, the combination is hard to crack. Amber II and Poconos should fill the minor positions in the frame.

### 21 ENTRIES FOR NANLING H'CAP

There are 21 entries for the Nanling Handicap for China ponies, subscription griffins of this season, that have not won more than \$1,000 in stakes, but it is not to be expected that all will weigh out owing to the fact that many of the entrants are in the Hwang Ho Handicap. However, I like the chances of Magos, National Honour and Wild Beat and I will make my final selection to-morrow.

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### PURCHASE OF GRAZING LAND CONSIDERED

(By "Capt. Foster")

It is learned that the Hongkong Jockey Club is contemplating, or may have even started negotiations, to purchase a big piece of land in Fanling for ponies to graze.

If this is correct, I feel confident in saying that the project will be received with open arms by all owners, big or small, as it will fill a long-felt want.

There are, I know, quite a few owners and trainers who have a attack judge against turning out their ponies owing to the flies which attack the animals in the pastures. The theory of some trainers may be right, but they must not overlook the fact that where the ground is "stained" with dung, the breeding of flies increases. So the care not to allow animals to feed where they dung is a valuable and natural protection.

Though I am no naturalist, I think the grassland should be fenced into discrete plots so that if one plot gets stained ponies may be removed to another grazing area. This will undoubtedly lessen the persecution of flies.

### Some Speedy Ponies Among The Entries

A fine scramble will be seen in the Hwang Ho Handicap for subscription China ponies of this season over half a mile. There are a few speedy roadsters such as Heddon, Kut Cheung, Radium Star, Rose Day, Sea Horse and Welcome. The last named has been knocking at the door for a long while, but he has certainly a stiff proposition because the weight adjuster has put him at the top of the tree. My best three are Kut Cheung, Radium Star and Sea Horse. Rose Day is a good outsider. As far as my memory goes, Tallentive was at one time considered a good 'un over anything from six furlongs and under, but the pony has not lived up to his reputation. In my school of experience I am afraid, without prejudice, the pony is a clinker. The official handicapper has rated him at the bottom of the ladder and if Tallentive can speak to the starters to let him through the barrier first, then he may have a chance.

### FIRST LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

The first leg of the daily double is on the Wallsend Handicap for "C" class Australian ponies and it will not keep the punters in long suspense, for it is only a sprint from the 1½ miles post (about half mile 170 yards). The result of the Manly Handicap last Saturday was Annabella, A Great Time, and Murray River and it will be remembered that there was some heavy money poured on the first two. As A Great Time is ineligible for the contest, Annabella must therefore be the first favourite. I may be wrong, but it appeared, to me at the third post, Murray River did not have a clear passage and this pony and her stable mate, Macquarie River, are worth following up. Both belong to Mr. Tinson, who is under a cloud, but Breton owned by Mr. Tinson is looking extremely well and the distance is to the mare's liking. Breton is my best tip.

### West River H'cap May Be Tame

The West River Handicap is the longest jaunt to-morrow for "C" class China ponies over a distance from the two miles post, once round and in. It looks that it will be a tame affair and the field, I am afraid, will not be over half a dozen runners. Galveston Bay has rejoined his old company, but I don't fancy him. As Galveston Bay has to carry topweight, there is good reason to believe that the pony will not accept and I nominate Tyro, Bright View and Laughing Girl. I expect to see these three finishing in that order.

### LUCULLUS WINS BERKSHIRE FOAL PLATE

London, June 8. The Berkshire Foal Plate was won to-day by Lucullus, starting at 7/4, with Double Greek, also 7/4, in second place, while Maid of Essex, at 8/1, was third.

Ten ran in the race. Half a length separated first and second, and three lengths second and third. Reuter-

(Continued on Page 9.)

### Baseball

### NEW YORK OUTFITS SUCCEED

New York, June 8. The following are the results of matches played in the Major Baseball League to-day:

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R. H.	E.
Chicago	3	7
Batteries, Lee and Hartnett		
New York	5	7
Batteries, Gumbert, Brown and Dunning		

Pittsburgh 0 3 1  
Batteries, Tobin and Berres, Muller.

Boston 2 10 0  
Batteries, Fette and Lopez.

Cincinnati vs. Philadelphia will be played at night.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R. H.	E.
New York	7	12
Batteries, Donald and Dickey		
Chicago	2	7
Batteries, Smith, Brown and Tresh		

Washington 5 9 5  
Batteries, Krakuska, Kelley, Masterson and Ferrell.

Cleveland 7 9 1  
Batteries, Harder, Hudlin and Hemaley.

Philadelphia 4 8 0  
Batteries, Beckman, Pippen, Joyce, Dunn and Brucker.

Detroit 8 13 1  
Batteries, Trout and Tabbott.

Boston 8 13 4  
Batteries, Gahloosa, Heving, Dickman, Desautels and Peacock.

St. Louis 7 10 0  
Batteries, Gill, Whitehead, Spindel and Glenn.

Boston vs. Louis nightcap postponed on account of rain.—United Press.

### BOWLING GREEN BEING LAID AT HONGKONG C.C.

Work has already been started on the new bowling green which is being laid at the Hongkong Cricket Club. It is expected that the green will be ready for play shortly.

Amongst the members of the Cricket Club are some very keen bowlers, and it is likely that they will put in a team in the Hongkong Lawn Bowls League next summer.

The green is being laid on the eastern side of the ground, near the B- and S-offices.

## Here And There With "Abe"

### More About Cricket In The West Indies

"In yesterday's issue was reprinted the first part of an article, written by S. H. Hayes in the *Cricketer*, on the West Indies cricket team, a team of whom is now touring England. The article, the rest of the article, is as follows:

"In 1928, West Indian team came to England again, but hopes raised by the earlier team were not fulfilled. They won only five of their 30 first-class matches and had lost every Test Match by lunch-time on the third day. The old characteristics of patchy brilliance showed strongly, Challenor was nothing like the great batsman of the previous tour, their three really fine fast bowlers were handicapped by poor catching in the slips and behind the wicket. "Many a time," said Constantine, "I wished I could field slip to my own bowling." This tour did make the name of that great player, L. N. Constantine, who scored 1,381 runs, took 107 wickets, and fielded gloriously.

#### Weak Batting

"YET it was batting which really let them down in Australia. Headley, Grant and Martin apart, they showed neither skill nor resolution against Iromonger and Grimmett. In the last Test Match, however, the rain came to help them, Headley declared twice and they won an exciting victory, 1933 in England was very much like 1928, but it served to endorse opinions of George Headley already formed over Constantine, and it produced yet another fast bowler of the very highest class in E. A. Martindale, who, like Francis, St. Hill, Constantine and Headley, later found his way into northern English league cricket. West Indian cricket did an astonishing thing when it produced Headley. He revolutionised our conception of West Indian negro batsmanship—a batting machine of the Bradman type. He has a wealth of lovely strokes and moves to the ball with a fascinating smoothness, but most remarkable is the composed temperament and the control which enables him to discipline his play as the occasion demands. In first-class games in 1933 he scored 2,320 runs, average 66.23. In the Oval Test Match, on a wicket giving him a little help, C. S. Mortrott demonstrated the inability of the West Indians to cope with subtleties of right and spin. There and at Lord's they were well beaten, but at Manchester they fought an honourable draw.

#### No Solidity

"So the story of West Indian cricket thus far is not one of impressive team performance, of solidity, or even stubborn respectability. Rather do we think of an intoxicating mélange of brilliant hitters and headlong fast bowlers, of lithe, eager fielding, if not dependable catching. Great players they have had—Challenor, Constantine, Headley, Martindale and many very good ones—Small, St. Hill, Roach and Sealey, always looking for a chance to hit a four and if possible a six, John, Martin, Francis and Griffiths. When cricket grows often care-worn and drab with sophistication and mere cleverness, the eagerness and sparkle of West Indian cricket are badly needed."

#### Speed Record

"JOHN Cobb, the British motorist, is to return to the United States in August to make an attempt to break Captain G. E. T. Eyston's world land speed record of 307.6 m.p.h. This was revealed recently by Mr. Guy P. Beckman, Secretary of the Salt Lake City Chamber of Commerce, who stated that Cobb had notified him to that effect. Cobb, he advised, hoped to reach a speed of 370 miles an hour. Last year Cobb beat Eyston's old record with 350.20 m.p.h., but only held it for a day before Eyston set up his new record.

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GALATEA II beating White Fox in heat to win the Oaks Stakes at Epsom.

# Tommy Farr Shows Some Of His Old Skill

## Larry Gains Retires At End Of Five Rounds: Injures His Right Hand

London, May 18.

Fighting with something like his old snap and speed, Tommy Farr, the Welsh heavyweight, won his second fight since his return to this country, when he beat Larry Gains, the veteran Canadian on the Cardiff City football ground last night.

Gains retired at the end of the 5th round. The retirement came as a surprise.

True, Farr was winning decisively at the time but he had caused no serious damage, and there was nothing to suggest that Gains would not survive the full distance of 12 rounds.

During the interval following the 5th round, however, Gains spoke to his seconds, and one of them called the referee, Mr. Moss Deyong. The latter hesitated for a moment, and then as the gong went to start the next round, he waved Farr back and called for the M.C.

It was announced that Gains had retired owing to an injury to his right hand, and one of his seconds at once began slitting the glove off with a pair of scissors.

There was not a single murmur of disappointment. The crowd of over 25,000, a record for Wales, had defied the bitterly cold wind to see Farr fight on Welsh soil again, and were delighted with his victory.

## FARR'S IMPROVEMENT

Farr boxed much better than he did in his previous fight against the American, Red Burnham. He was quicker on his feet and more confident.

He used his left splendidly, and at times opened out with a furious onslaught of long, swinging punches which would have been dangerous to himself against a younger opponent.

What upset Gains, however, was Farr's ceaseless attack. The Welshman was fighting and punching every second. At close quarters he kept both arms free and battered away until Gains was able to clinch.

Farr was definitely better. It may be said, however, although it may seem to dilute these words of praise, that the opposition was very weak.

Gains is 37. He retired after 13 leisurely rounds against Len Harvey recently through sheer exhaustion—but through punishment received, but not boxing wise.

Last night he met a man heavier and stronger than Harvey, and one who set a very fast pace. Gains has always been a brilliant defensive boxer, and he still retains his skill. But though able to foil Farr again and again, particularly in the early rounds, he himself never had time to strike a worth-while punch.

## PUNCHED AS HE LIKED

Farr—could—consequently—throw punches as he liked, and as long as he kept punching nothing ever came back. That, of course, gives a fighter even greater confidence.

Farr had every incentive to take risks, and in the third round he

## SPORT ADVTS

## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 10th June, 1939, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

## MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$3.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27704) will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Times are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Bay (Tel. 21020).

## PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary,  
Hongkong, 5th June, 1939.

THE "TELEGRAPH" will send a Staff Photographer to all events of public interest. Requests should be addressed to the Pictorial.



Strange are the ways of a man with a maid! Shirley Temple is inclined to agree with Joan Davis in her opinion of Bert Lahr's screenade in "Just Around the Corner," Shirley's latest 20th Century-Fox picture, opening to-morrow at the King's Theatre.

## DONALD BUDGE TOO GOOD FOR VINES IN WEMBLEY GAME

London, May 19.

Budge, Vines, Tilden and Nusslein, the big tennis four, were again in competition at Wembley last night to decide the professional championship. The two Californians, both with a victory to their credit, were playing each other. The two losers of Tuesday, Tilden and Nusslein were in conflict.

In the Wembley pool for this tournament is £1,000. The winner receives £250, while each of the other two gets £125.

The two young giants from California, each with his cannon-ball service, are there to uphold the supremacy of the Pacific West. Nusslein, the German, has come to play Budge for the first time. Tilden, the old maestro, is at Wembley because he cannot keep away.

## BUDGE WINS KEY MATCH

Budge against Vines was the second match last night and the gallery had swollen to 6,000 when the players came on to the court. Budge won what should be the match of the tournament, 6-4, 0-3.

Like so many battles between hot-paced Americans this one was service governed. Each man was out to break the offensive of the other, and the fact that Budge won four service games from Vines was decisive.

The champion came slowly to his peak. He lost his opening service and was within a point of being 3-lov- down, but after the set was square at 2-all, the touchstone was found, and a fine service break carried him to 4-2.

Budge could now afford to ease up a little in the two next service games of Vines. After that all he needed was to hold his own service and this he did with intensive mastery.

In the second set Budge got a service break for a 5-3 lead and the end was not long delayed. Vines produced some dynamic strokes and his attack on Budge's forehand corner drew its mood of points, but he had not the all-court power and accuracy of his rival nor such an impregnable defence on his back hand.

His drive on this wing used to be as peaceful as Budge's. It nearly broke the heart of W. M. Johnston. Last night it was the stroke which Nusslein found vulnerable under pressure.

Yet there was nearly as much competition when Tilden saved two match balls after a terrific sprint from side to side as when an electric light bulb burst with a loud report over the court early in the contest.

## ARGENTINE GOLFERS PROMINENT

Leeds, June 8.

Match play stages in the Yorkshire Evening News golf tournament began to-day.

The results were as follows:

A British Ryder Cup player beat Castanon (Argentine) 5 and 3.

Martin Pose (Argentine) beat Jack Taylor (Potters Bar) 5 and 4.

Serra (Argentine) beat Toggart (Wilmot) one up.

Sutton (Leigh) beat Churlo (Argentine) 3 and 1.

## SECOND ROUND

In the second round, Pose beat Davies, the British Ryder Cup player, one up.

Serra beat Cecil Denny (Thorpe Hall) two up. Reuter,

## S. AMERICANS SHINE IN ENGLISH GOLF TOURNEY

It is extremely unlikely that any of the matches in the Mixed Doubles Tennis League to-day will be played, judging by the weather at the moment. At least one match, that between the Hongkong C.C. and the Kowloon C.C. "B," has already been cancelled.

The programme to-day is as follows:

Club de Recreio v. Chinese R.C.  
Kowloon C.C. "A" v. Ladies' R.C.  
Hongkong C.C. v. Kowloon C.C. "B"

## Starting Times At Fanling

The following are the starting times at Fanling on Sunday:

## OLD COURSE

9.15 B. S. Chiu v. D. McDonald.

9.24 H. Gregory, J. Forbes.

9.29 G. D. Humphreys, J. L. C. Pearce.

9.30 G. C. Worrall, F. D. Hunter.

9.36 R. G. Gray, H. Gaze.

9.40 P. Lloyd, P. S. Delaney.

9.44 M. D. Cooper, R. K. Valentine.

9.48 J. Tamworth, F. A. M. Elliott.

9.52 H. W. G. A. M. Elliott.

9.56 A. N. & Q. A. Macfadyen.

10.04 J. M. Pearson, D. F. Hughes.

## OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"Secrets of an Actress" (King's-to-day).—Kaye Francis—plays an actress bequeathed by two architects, one of whom is married. Divorce and a noble sacrifice pave the way for true love. Miss Francis looks lovely and is given capable support by Ian Hunter and George Brent, but the treatment is rather conventional.

"Give Me A Sailor" (Majestic, to-day).—Martha Raye and Bob Hope provide a lot of fun in this picture of sailors on shore-leave.

"The Frightened" (Alhambra, to-day).—Those who have followed the "Hopalong Cassidy" series will find this up to the standard of previous films adapted from the Clarence E. Mulford series of the western hero who fights and rides for justice against law-breakers.

Indian R.C. To Hold Tombola

The Indian R.C. will hold their first tombola at Sooknupoo this evening, starting at 8 p.m. The function is open to the public.

## Lawn Bowls

## Two League Matches Decided

The Kowloon Football Club had an easy victory over Kowloon Tong in a second division fixture yesterday, winning by 3 shots. The final scores were 72-41. Of the Football Club's rinkers those skipped by A. Sparry and A. H. Basto were beaten by a wide margin. Sparry losing to T. Ferguson by 30 shots to six. His rink could only score on four heads.

P. McCarthy, B. Thompson, V. Atienza and W. Field beat Y. Abbas, H. Y. Hau, A. J. Kew and A. H. Basto 26-12.

W. Groves, J. Eastman, P. Young-husband and T. Ferguson won by 20-6.

B. Evans, W. Simpson, J. Gibson and V. Chittenden lost to A. E. Castro, T. K. Lim, J. N. Wong and H. Gittins 16-23.

## THIRD DIVISION

Stanley unexpectedly beat the Kowloon Football Club at Stanley in their resumed Third Division lawn bowls fixture yesterday. They won a deserved victory by the narrow margin of one shot, the final scores being 50-57. The match was started on May 27, but had to be postponed half-way through owing to rain.

A. Perry, J. W. Hudson, G. Foster and T. Pile beat J. Izzet, C. Fuller, J. Ross and P. Morgan 19-13.

W. E. Webber, J. W. Fitzgerald, J. E. McCutcheon and C. M. Gowland lost to C. Woodcock, H. Fontham, A. Hughes and W. Excell 20-29.

E. Franks, V. H. Freeman, S. Hodges and T. E. Gooding beat W. Mill, C. M. Hall, S. C. Wong and V. Petherick 19-15.

## First Half Of Race Season Comes To End

(Continued from Page 8.)

Zan) are definitely not starting. The offsprings by Double Court have proved beyond doubt that they are very fast and in the circumstance I cannot see anything to like Derby Day owned by Dr. S. N. Chau. Aztec is good for big money.

## SOMEBODY WILL WIN A FORTUNE

The Lantau Handicap for "D" class China ponies will bring the meeting to a close and this last event before the recess will undoubtedly be the main attraction on account of the popularity of the special dollar cash sweep conducted on the race. It will be recalled that last year the contest was reserved for "B" class China ponies and Mr. Donald Black, who rode Red Feather to victory, presented a fat cheque of \$72,258.34 to the drawer of the lucky number 104,398. However the first prize tomorrow will in all probability reach the same figure and this purse of Fortunatus will make somebody happy.

There are in all 21 entries, the post of honour falling on Night View and the next down in the handicap list is Royal Highness carrying 104 lbs. At the Whitsun meeting there were two separate sections but they have now been merged into one division and it does not look to me that the lower class will provide the winner. Taking everything in the balance the probable contenders for the premier honour are Gold Coin, Night View, Royal Highness and Valorous. To tell you the truth I prefer the last named pony, but I am afraid that Valorous is short of a gallop owing to the fact that he was on the walking list for a fortnight.

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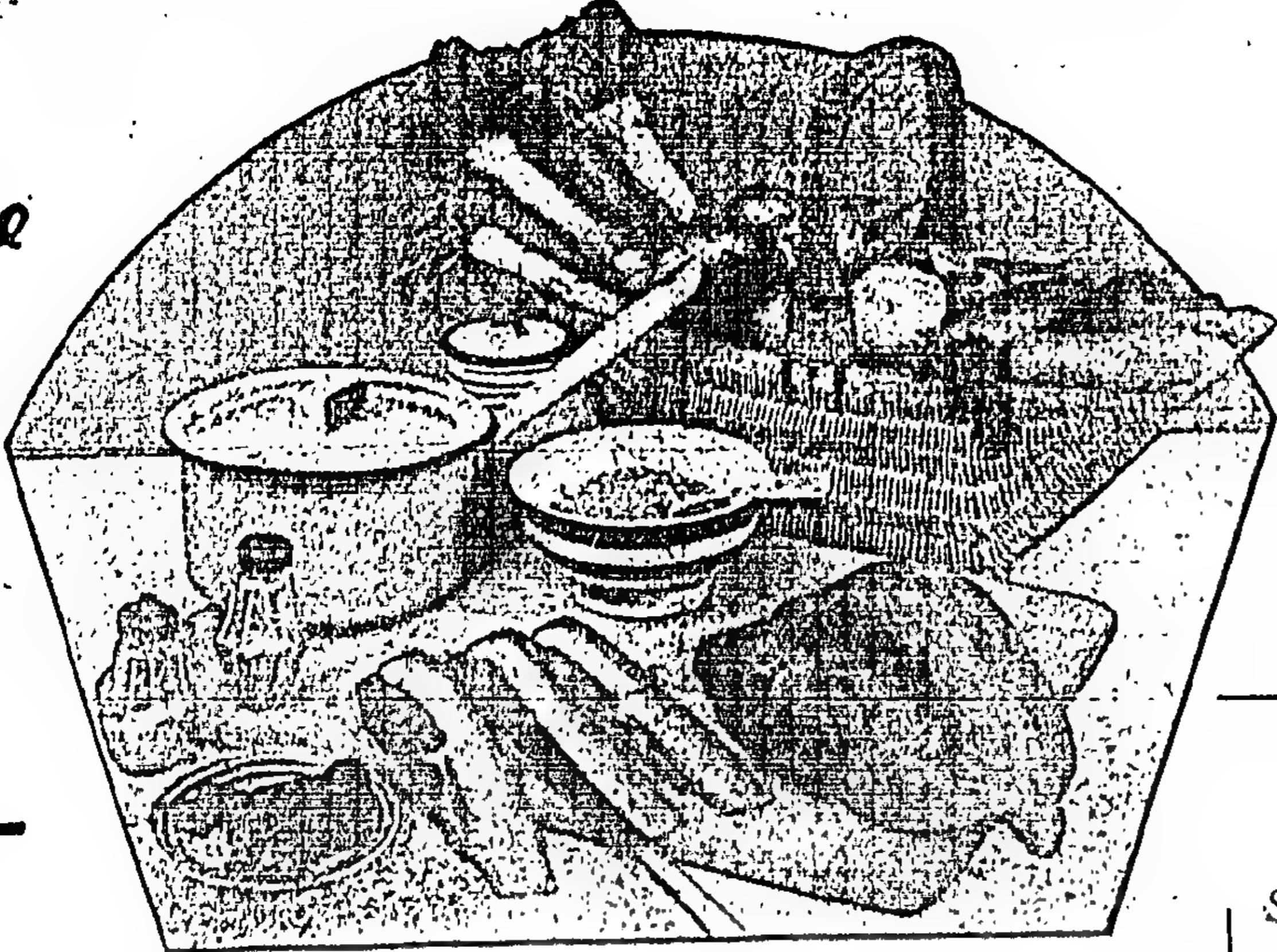
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## FRIDAY . . . FAVOURITES . . .

HERE we are at Friday again. The question is: What shall we have for dinner? The joint won't be ordered until to-morrow, and all the left-overs have been used up.

A good chance to serve one of the family favourites, such as rabbit casserole or Irish stew.

Or perhaps you like fish on Friday in anticipation of the week-end roast.

Here are some economical and nourishing meals from which to choose your menu to-day.

### Savoury Cod

First a savoury way with cod.

Wash, trim and bone 2lb. tail-end of cod, then make a stuffing as follows:

Mix together 3oz. breadcrumbs, 1oz. Trapp & Sons

shredded suet, a pinch of salt and pepper, 1 teas., chopped parsley, a pinch of mixed herbs, a few drops of lemon juice.

Bind with a beaten egg, then spread the mixture on to the fish. Roll this up, and tie securely with tape.

Place fish in a baking-tin with a little stock, then bake in a moderate oven, Regulo mark 4 for three-quarters of an hour, basting frequently.

When cooked, thicken the liquor with cornflour, and sprinkle the fish with cornflour, and serve with mashed potatoes and more boiled onions.

### Orange Pudding

Takes no time to prepare and is a great favourite with the children.

Line a greased pudding-basin with a plain suet crust. Arrange pork or 4oz. margarine, cold water to mix, a beef sausages around the sides, with pinch of salt, the rind and juice of 2 oranges in the middle, brownings them oranges, 3oz. sugar.

First in the frying pan, if liked.

Fill in the spaces between the end salt, add the sugar and grated pepper.

Fill in the spaces between the end salt, add the sugar and powdered sage. Damp the edges of stiff paste. Roll out on a floured board, spread with a little margarine, roll up, seal the ends, and top with a suet crust lid.

Cover with a piece of greased paper, then tie down with a scalped cloth. It is a good plan to place a piece of buttered paper on the pudding cloth, to prevent sticking.

Turn out and serve with mashed potatoes and parsnips.

### Bacon Roly-Poly

Excellent way of using up left-over cold bacon. It can be either boiled or fried for this dish.

Make a suet crust with 1½lb. flour, 3oz. shredded suet, a pinch of salt, and a little cold water. Mix to a stiff paste, roll out on a floured board, and cut into strips of fat bacon, 2oz., butter or margarine, 2 onions, 3 slices of lean bacon cut into dice, 1 heaped tablespoon, flour, 2 teasp., chopped parsley, 1 teasp., thyme, salt and pepper, 1 bay leaf, 1 pint stock.

Wash, wipe and joint the rabbit, lard the legs and breast with strips of fat bacon, and fry in an earthenware casserole, containing the butter, sliced onions and diced bacon.

When a light-brown colour, season with salt and pepper, then sprinkle with flour. Stir over heat until the flour has acquired a chestnut-brown tint, then pour in stock gradually.

Boil up, add the herbs and bay leaf, place on the lid and cook in a hot oven or over slow heat until the meat is tender.

Skim the surface of the stock, remove bay leaf, and serve in the casserole.

### Mincemeat Roll

You will be wanting to use up the left-over mincemeat I expect. Here is a good way.

Mix 2 cupfuls of self-raising flour with a pinch of salt and 3 tablespoonsfuls of shredded suet. Add sufficient cold water to form a stiff paste, then roll out on a floured board to about ½ inch thick.

Spread liberally with mincemeat, damp the edges and roll up, pinching the ends well together. Fold in a piece of greased paper, then in a folded cloth. Tie each end securely, fix a safety pin in the centre. Steam for at least 2 hours.

### Irish Stew

Substantial and very tasty.

Ingredients: 1lb. scrag end of neck or breast of mutton, 1 pint water, ½ lb. onions, 2lb. potatoes, salt and pepper.

Put the meat in pieces, put into a Cut the meat in pieces, put into a

pan with water and salt, bring to the boil and skim. Add onions and one-third of the potatoes (sliced), and simmer slowly for 1½ hours, then add the remainder of potatoes, and cool slowly until tender.

Turnip well and serve. Turnips and carrots may also be added.

### Scallop Pudding

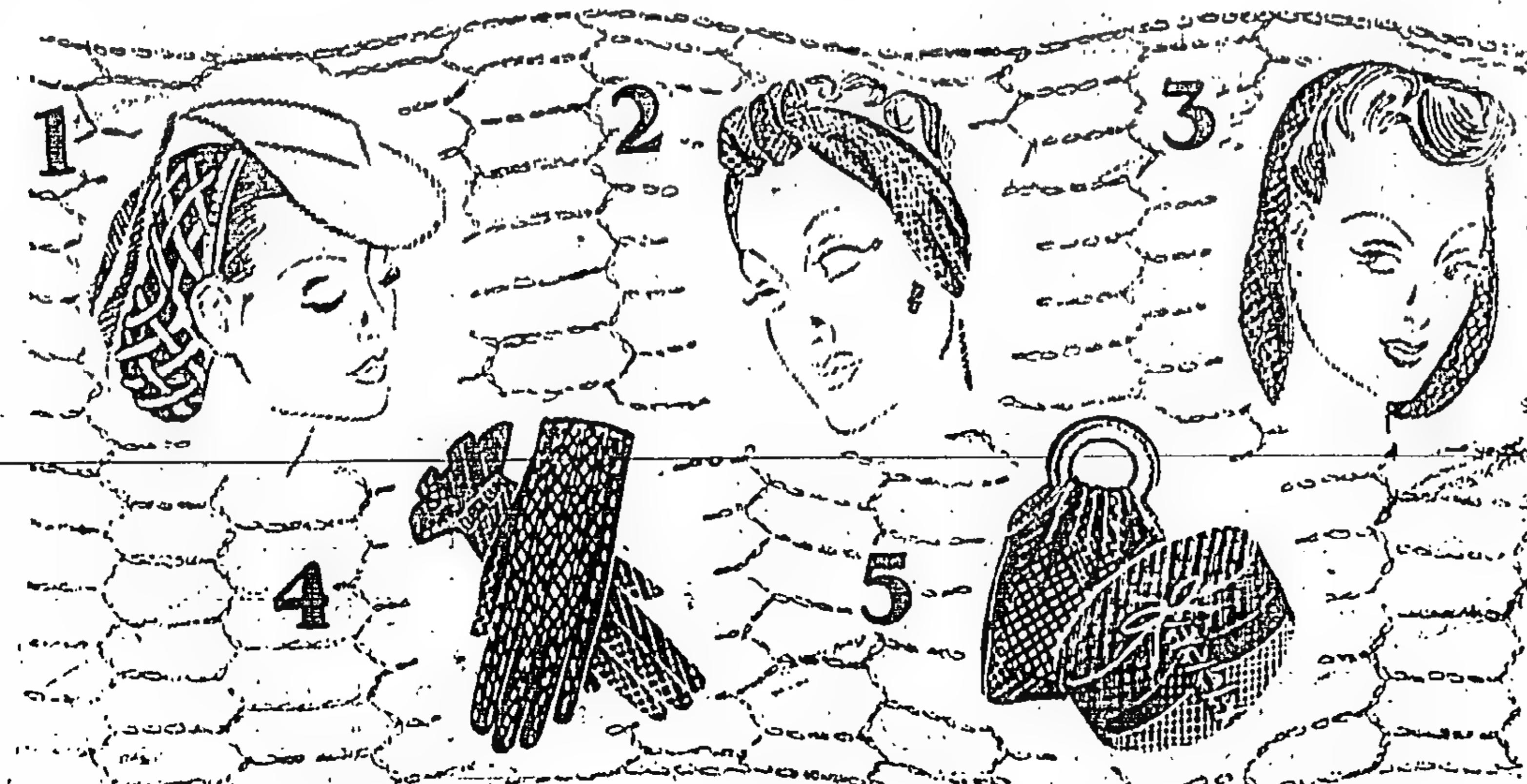
Take a scalloped cloth and

place the pudding on it. Cover with a suet crust lid.

Cover with a piece of greased paper, then tie down with a scalped cloth. It is a good plan to place a piece of buttered paper on the pudding cloth, to prevent sticking.

### Fun with a Bit of String

## FUN WITH A BIT OF STRING



## Hair Care In Summer

IN summer hair is liable to become dry, harsh, and lustreless when exposed to the direct rays of the sun.

The heat of the sun, although a natural force, does to the hair what an improperly handled curling iron may do, and has all day in which to do it.

Wearing one's hat seems to be as good an answer as any to this problem, but it is by no means a popular one. It is possible, however, to treat the hair so that, even without the hat, it will escape, to a great extent, the harm which the sun can can do.

First, decide whether your hair is oily or dry, and increase the treatment in proportion to the degree of oiliness or dryness.

Those who have oily hair are lucky during the summer, but should give it the following treatment:—Glycerine added to water (about a teaspoonful to a pint) should be applied to the hair, especially to that part not shielded from the sun, before venturing out of doors.

This will accomplish two distinct ends; the glycerine will give back any slight nourishment which the sun has previously drawn from the hair, and will protect the hair from further injury.

If the hair is short the glycerine may be applied by wetting the palm of the hand with it, and smoothing the hair.

If the hair is long, it should be patted on before the coiffure is completed.

### For Dryness

Dry hair should be consistently treated with some good nourishing oil which a hair expert will recommend.

By these methods you can be certain that the colour your hair possesses will not be taken from it. But the lustre and polish which has gone is another matter, and will come back only through carefully watching the diet and general health.

Until the lustre comes back naturally a little brilliantine will accomplish wonders. This should be applied sparingly and should correspond with your favourite scent.

If the water is hard, try to procure warm rain water and your hair will then be sure of a good, safe bath. If rain water cannot be obtained it is a good idea to give the scalp a frequent oil rub.

Never leave salt water in the hair after a refreshing dip. Wash it out and at once—and then sit in the sun just long enough to dry it.

### With Hard Water

If you are forced to use hard water, add the juice of a lemon to the last rinsing water. If you are a blonde, and to the next to the last rinsing water if you are a brunette.

Lemon has a tendency to bleach the hair, and if the very last rinse is made in clear, cold water the bleaching element will therefore be removed.

If you follow all these directions you will find that next winter will not be one of despair because the hair is "off colour," crisp, dry, and lifeless.

Nature is kind, however, and will ultimately give back your lost colour if you are patient. Watch your health, protect your hair from the sun, and you will be rewarded by retrieving your own natural shade.

Juliet Sanford

Can you do filet crochet, did your grandmother teach you tatting? It's all high fashion this summer. Here are some of the ways to use it:

1 Make a thick chenille net for your back hair, to wear under a shallow-crowned hat.

2 For the country, or golf, or the beach, wear a netting turban, perhaps with a sash to match of the same stuff.

3 For evening encase your back curls in a gold net, sewn here and there with seed pearls.

4 Gloves in crochet are delectably cool for hot days, black, and black stitched with white.

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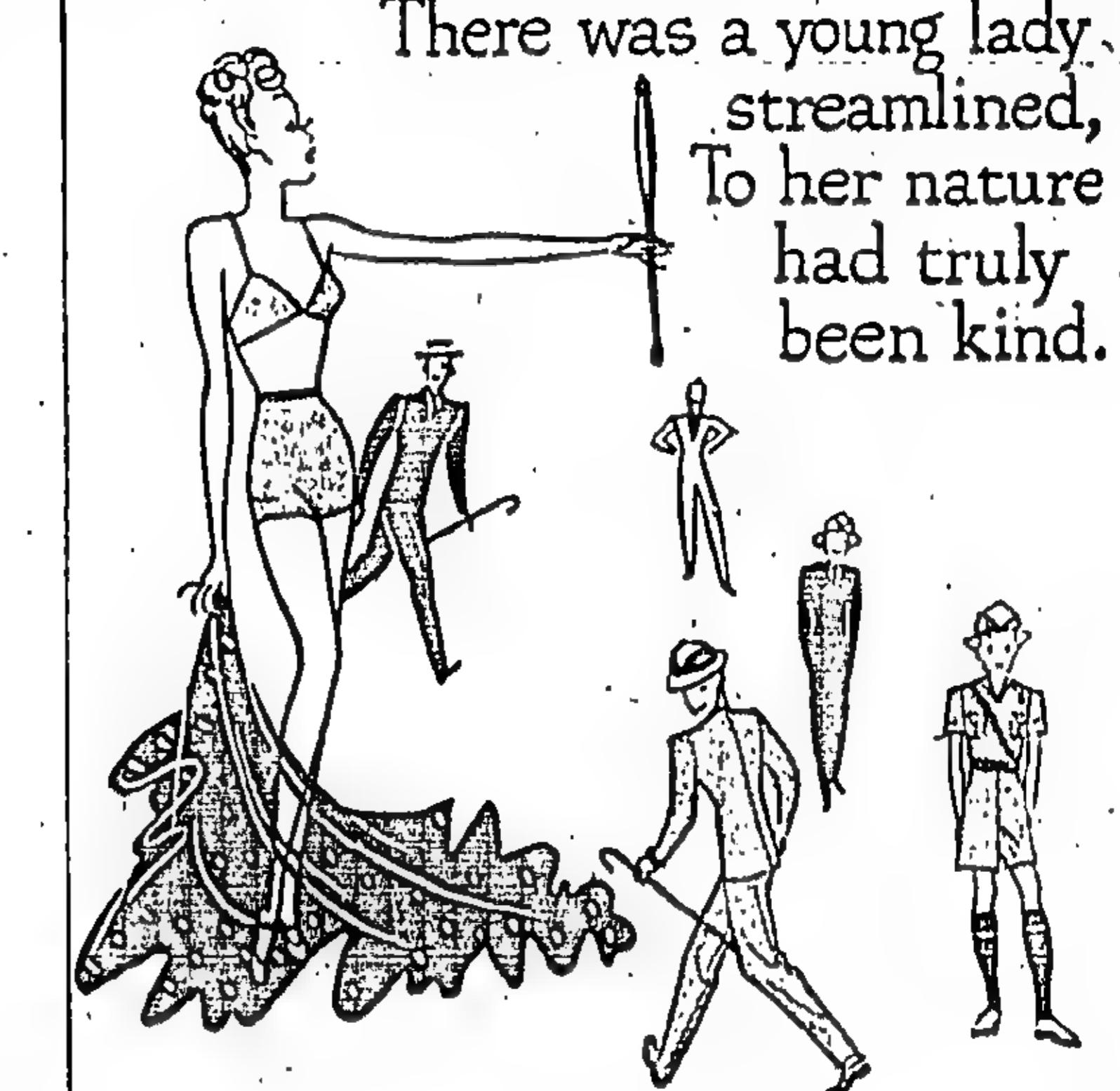
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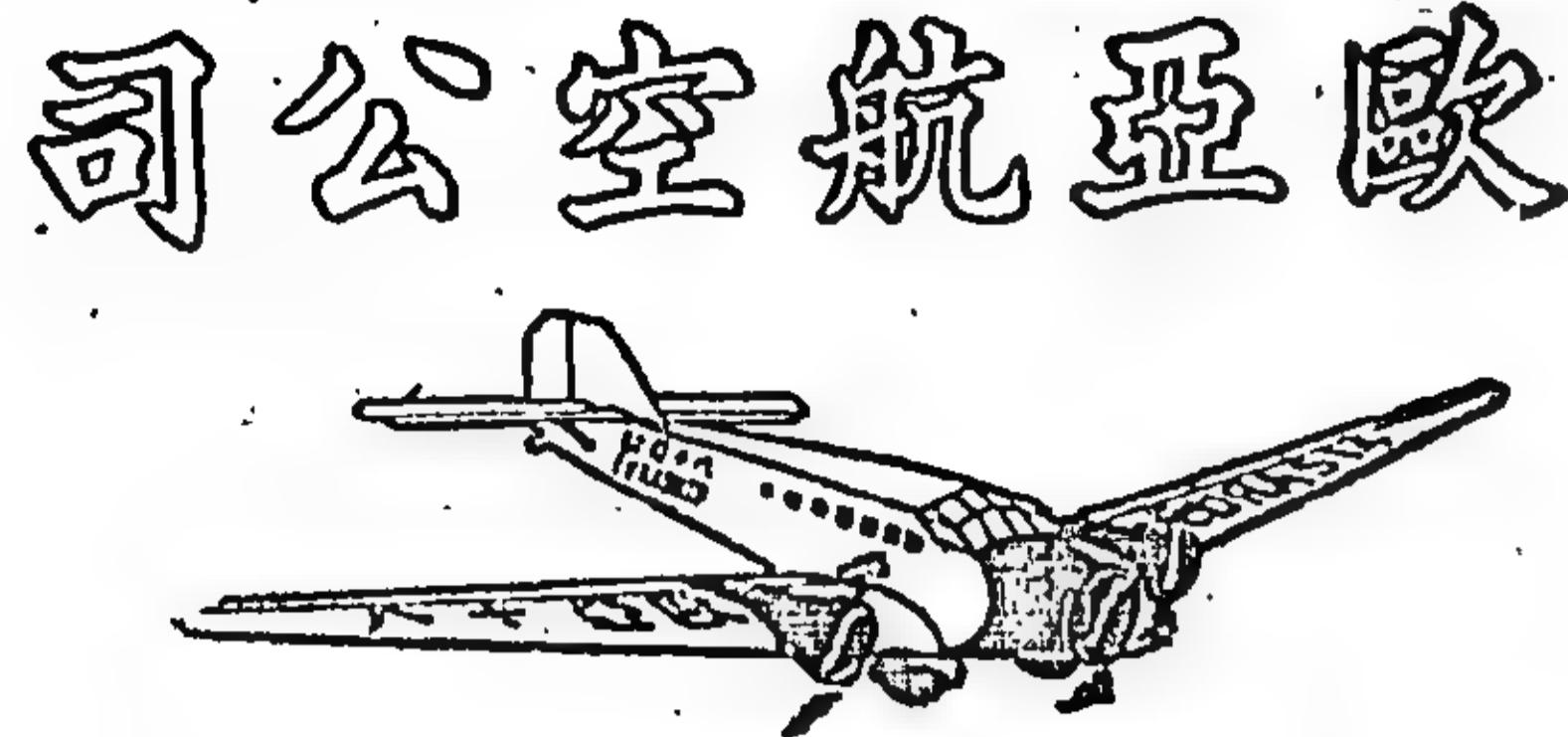
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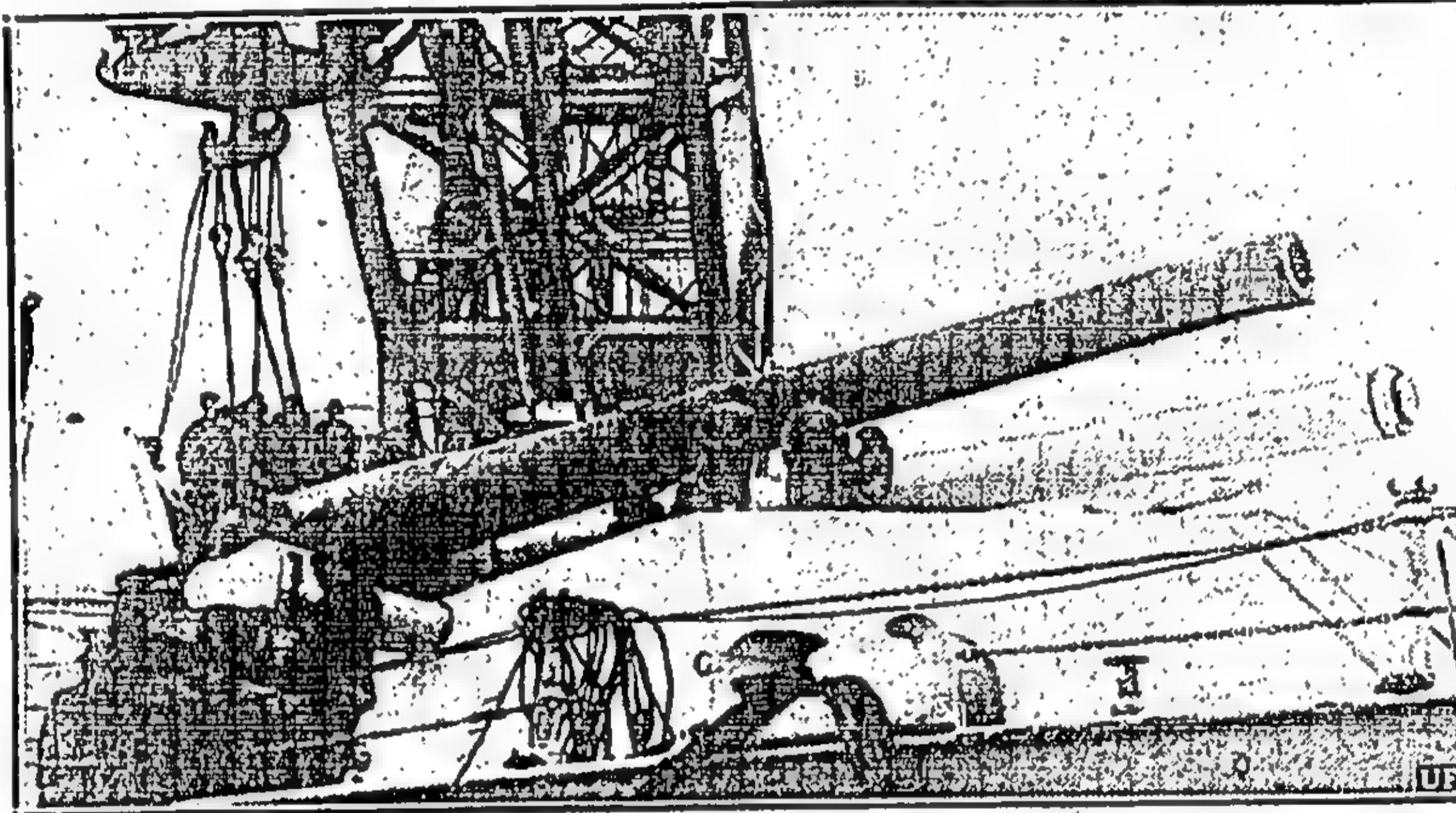
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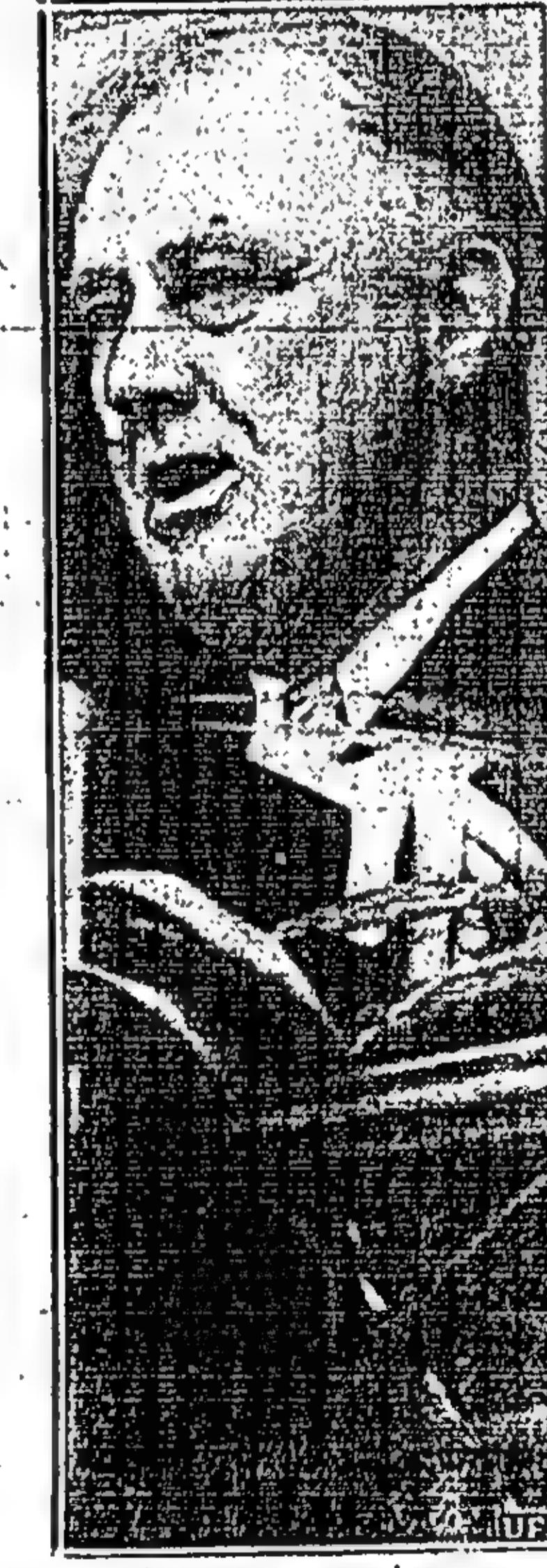
Hosts at a farewell dinner to the King and Queen, as shown in this photograph, were Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, right, and Mrs. Kennedy, left. Menus included Baltimore shad roe, Virginia ham and Georgia pickled peaches. All nine Kennedy children, together for the first time in England, met the British sovereigns.



The American battleship West Virginia, gets a new tooth. It's a 16-inch gun being placed in the No. 2 turret before the big ship leaves the Brooklyn, N. Y., navy yard. After the gun was fully set, the ship left to join the Pacific fleet.



Mexico City rioter who took part in clash between supporters of Vicente Toledo, head of powerful Labour Confederation, and opponents in hands of police. He demonstrated too enthusiastically.



President Roosevelt speaking to the Red Cross convention from the South Partico of the White House. He scored inhuman acts which have shocked the world.

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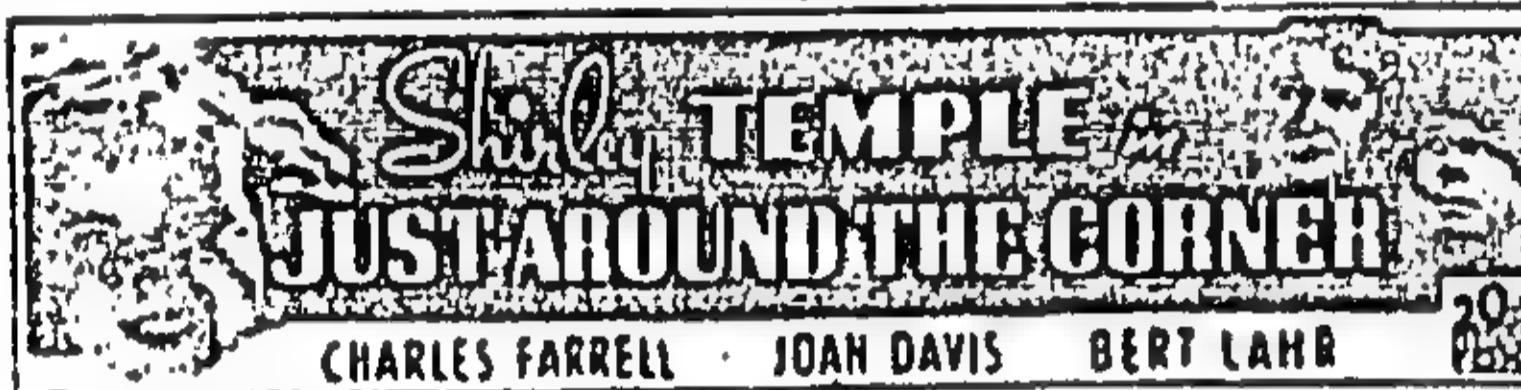
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Following a meeting in London of all sections of the industry a statement was issued declaring that the new tax, among other things—

• Would increase the cost of film by more than 100 per cent;  
• Might mean the immediate extinction of some British film companies;

• Would curtail the importation of American films and have a serious effect on exhibitors.

## Drastic Steps In Bohemia

### Sequel To Killing Of A German

PRAGUE, June 8. The German Minister here has issued a proclamation instituting drastic measures at Kladno where a German policeman was killed last night.—United Press.

#### Mayor Deposed

PRAGUE, June 8.—Drastic measures have been ordered by the Reich Protector for Bohemia, following the alleged murder of an official of the German police in Kladno, an important industrial centre in north-west Czechoslovakia.

The measures include the deposition of the Mayor and the Municipal Council at Kladno from office, disarming of the Czech police, and prohibition of open-air meetings.

If the murderer is not identified and taken prisoner by 8 p.m. tomorrow, other measures will be taken.

Czech police were disarmed in the main square in Kladno without incident.—Reuter Special.

### Ambush Sequel: Men Charged

THERE was a Court sequel this morning to the police ambush near the 3½-mile post on Tai Po Road on Wednesday, when two men appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy on charges of being in possession of arms and ammunition.

The two men were Lam Kau, 23, and Wong Val, 25, both unemployed.

A third man, against whom charges will also be preferred, is in hospital with a smashed ankle.

Det. Sergt. C. Pope, who led the police ambush, prosecuted, and asked for a formal remand of 72 hours.

### U. S. COMMODITY PRICES

#### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, June 8.

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July	24/24	29/30
Oct.	8.38/38	8.30/30
Dec.	8.18/17	8.16/16
Jan.	8.00/00	8.00 N
Mar.	8.01/02a	8.03/03
May	8.00/00	8.00/00
Spcl		10.00 N

New York Rubber

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July	10.46b/51a	10.47b/49a
Sept.	10.50b/52a	10.50 N
Dec.	10.57/57	10.53 N
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Chicago Wheat

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July	75% / 75%	75% / 75%
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Wednesday's Sales:

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Chicago Corn	50% / 50%
July	52% / 52%
Sept.	52% / 52%
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### Government House Reception

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Invitations issued numbered 2,330 and most of these were accepted. The Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, pleasantly received and made everyone immediately welcome, spending the whole afternoon among his guests after the business of formal reception was over. Tables arranged on the lawn, each decorated with a fern pot, accommodated the guests, conditions being made more pleasant by the fact that the sun was mostly veiled by cloud, though no rain fell.

Afternoon tea was served at the tables and in the billiard room, and drinks were dispensed from a mismatched pavilion draped with flags at one side of the lawn. A flow of unobtrusive music was provided by the Middlesex Regiment Band and the Royal Scots Pipers.

The absence in Shanghai of the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl Macgregor, prevented his or Lady Macgregor attending. Lady Noble was present, but the Birmingham brought back the Commander-in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, too late in the afternoon for him to attend. One notable guest was Mr. H. F. Dwyer, Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce at Tientsin, who figured in a sensational episode in February when he was the captive of Chinese bandits for 17 days. His wife was also present.

#### Shameen Celebrates

Shameen, June 8. The British community to-day cast away its cares and worries in celebrating His Majesty's official birthday.

A review of the combined police and naval forces was held at 9.30 a.m. in Queen's Garden when Mr. A. P. Blunt, the Consul-General, took the salute.

A review of the combined police and naval forces was held at the Consulate-General from 11.30 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. at which the Consular body and representatives of the foreign communities were present. The health of His Majesty was proposed at noon.—Reuter.

#### LIKELY TO RECOVER

Chinese Detective Shot In Gun Duel

Constable Wan Man, who was shot in the stomach by a gangster on Monday morning during the Li Yuen Street shooting affair, was stated yesterday to be still in a critical condition.

The operation performed on him at the Queen Mary Hospital has been highly successful and his good constitution may help him to pull through.

"He is holding on very well and there is every chance of a recovery," said a police officer.

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## Drastic Powers for Minister "We Are Living In Emergency"

LONDON, JUNE 8.  
"WE ARE NOW IN AN EMERGENCY POSITION IN WHICH UNFORTUNATELY, WE SEE DESIGNED TO LIVE," DECLARED MR. LESLIE BURGIN IN MOVING THE SECOND READING OF THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY BILL IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TO-DAY.

One of the matters they had to organise was the inadequate collection of stores so that in a time of emergency there could be issued a large part of what was required.

The army was faced suddenly with an extension which was beyond the normal capacity of stores, or normal industrial output, and the army was taking more and more to become a series of trained mechanics, all with different types of expert knowledge.

Not only had the amount of mechanical equipment to be vastly increased, but skilled men to produce the equipment have to be depicted to maintain the army. The average infantry soldier required 84 articles of clothing and equipment, the manufacturing cost of which was £20 per infantryman.

Quite apart from mechanical and transport spares of an ordinary trade pattern, the vocabulary of the army store contained approximately 80,000 items.

### Cost Hundreds Of Millions

Apart from any problems arising from the rapid expansion of the army, large amounts of uniform and equipment must be in store, and with the recent decisions to increase the army and to embody the militia, the country was confronted with the task of an instantaneous supply involving an expenditure of hundreds of millions of pounds.

At the same time, preparation for active civil defence had gone on, and it was a question of army expansion in the framework of national defence, an expansion where every unit expanded at the same time.

The demands on the productive sources of supply were cumulative and unceasing, and perhaps the time factor was the most important of all.

Mr. Burgin made it clear that he did not intend to interfere with firms carrying on export business until it was absolutely essential for the purpose of securing articles required urgently for public service and some industrial organisations might well be more profitably employed in national interests in continuing to carry on their export business.

### Army Requirements

Mr. Burgin said that army requirements made necessary certain exceptional powers, and they would do their level best to see that these powers were kept entirely in reserve, and he had great hopes that they would never have to use them.

The authorities had four main considerations. Firstly, to revive and utilise to the full the royal ordnance factories and to create up and down the country in strategic spots, increased royal ordnance factory potentials. Secondly, to revive and strengthen the professional armaments firms. Thirdly, to broaden the means of supply by sub-contracting on as wide a basis as possible. Fourthly, to plan for the utilisation for armaments works of the general engineering capacity of the country.

Dealing with the various classes of the bill, Mr. Burgin said that he was satisfied that the necessary clauses provide a valuable and drastic method of controlling and checking prices.

### Bill Carried

Following a lengthy debate, the Labour Opposition motion for the re-jection of the bill was defeated by 235 votes to 114, and the bill was read for a second time.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, replying to the debate for the Government, said the debate had been so constructive, and there had been criticism of so genuine a spirit in trying to improve the bill, that it was a complete mystery why the Opposition intended dividing against the bill. It was the first time he had heard a bill described as long overdue, yet rejected when it came to the House of Commons.—Reuter Special.

### RANCHER SETS OWN BROKEN LEG

COVELO, Cal.

Rancher Enoch Thompson believed that first aid, like charity, begins at home. When he fell from his horse in a lone canyon where he was herding cattle and broke his leg, he held both bones of the injured leg, held them in place for more than an hour before help arrived, directed temporary splints with the result that when he arrived at a hospital all the physicians had to do was to apply professional splints and wrappings.



AIR MAIL PHOTOGRAPH of Their Majesties the King and Queen arriving at Parliament House, Ottawa, where the King gave his assent to several bills.  
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### King And Queen In Ottawa

## Speculators Chief Sufferers As Chinese Dollar Slump Is Halted

### Attempt To Raise Lost Sub. May Be Abandoned

LONDON, JUNE 8.

THE POSSIBILITY that the attempt to salvage the submarine Thetis will be abandoned was hinted at by Lord Stanhope in a statement to Parliament to-day.

He declared that the salvage firm was still at work on the submarine, but that in the event of a storm, efforts to raise the vessel would have to be abandoned.—Trans-Ocean.

### Thetis Inquiry

LONDON, June 8.—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Chamberlain told Mr. Arthur Greenwood, the Labour member that Mr. Justice Alfred Bucknill will be Chairman of the Court of Inquiry into the loss of the submarine Thetis.

Dispelling this morning's rumours that all attempts to lift the Thetis would be abandoned, Mr. Chamberlain said that the extent of the flooding of the sunken vessel was much more than was originally indicated.

He said further attempts would be made during more favourable weather and when heavier lifting equipment is available.—United Press.

### Aborted Attempt

LONDON, June 8.—The Premier announced in the House of Com-

SHANGHAI, June 8.  
Chinese currency, which opened at 6½d. this morning, firmed slightly by mid-morning, when it was quoted at 6½d.

The rate on New York firmed from 12½ to 12·7·16.—United Press.

### Chungking Silent

CHUNGKING, June 8.—Officials of the Ministry of Finance are reluctant to comment on the slumps in the yuan, "until further information is available."

However, they pointed out that the Advisory Board for the Stabilisation Fund is not required to maintain the yuan at any particular level and that they can buy and sell currency according to their needs and desires. Consequently the forward wires had to be slipped.

They said there is no truth in the reports that the fund has been exhausted through manipulations resulting from China's adverse trade balance.

They maintained there is a possibility that the Board might have permitted the yuan to slump in order to drive out speculators after which they would again buy the yuan in order to bring it back to its former level.

Salvo Plan

LONDON, June 8.—It is understood that the Controller of the Navy is going to Birkenhead to-night to hold a conference with experts in order to see what plan should now be adopted in the salvaging of the Thetis.—Reuter.

Spanish Efforts

Meanwhile, a spokesman of the Ministry of Finance said heavy selling of the yuan by Japanese in order

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## NERVOUSNESS IN FOREIGN AREAS

### JAPANESE FLEEING FROM DANGER ZONE

TIENTSIN, June 9.  
CONSIDERABLE apprehension is being felt in Tientsin, following the alleged rupture in Anglo-Japanese negotiations regarding "terrorists" arrested in the British Concession.

Japanese offices and private civilians have commenced to remove their property from the Concessions.

Yesterday, Mr. Pan Yu-kuei, chief of the Chinese Municipal Government, ordered officials and employees of the Municipality to retire from the Concessions and by noon over a hundred Chinese residents, including many merchants, are reported to have fled.

Meanwhile, the Japanese Army authorities are keeping secret their intentions, and no announcement has been made as to what form their "independent action" will take.

Yesterday, the Japanese authorities announced they were dissatisfied with the British reply to the Japanese "ultimatum", which expired at noon on Wednesday, and said that "independent action" would follow the rejection of their demands.—Domet.

### Japanese Considering Measures, Says Spokesman

TOKYO, June 9.—The spokesman of the Foreign Office this morning said that the Japanese authorities in Tientsin were considering "appropriate measures" to deal with the new situation, adding that some definite steps would be taken by the authorities on the spot.

The spokesman declined to divulge the nature of the contemplated steps but admitted that the situation in Tientsin was strained.—Domet.

### Tokyo Press Attack

TOKYO, June 9.—A sharp attack on the international concessions, in China was launched by the Japanese press yesterday.

The Council rejects the second point, calling for the replacement of Mr. Morhus as the Municipal Council Secretary and chief police officer of Japan.

The note expresses the readiness of the Council to appoint three more Japanese policemen in the Municipal Council.—Domet.

### "MOST UNFORTUNATE" AFFAIR AT POOTUNG

TOKYO, June 9.  
Questioned regarding the Pootung incident in Shanghai, the spokesman of the Foreign Office said to-day that he believed that it would not show any further developments.

Forming the case "most unfortunate," the spokesman hoped that the affair would be settled between the Japanese and British authorities concerned in Shanghai.—Domet.

## Japan's Demands Again Rejected at Kulangsu

AMOY, June 9.

MR. L. H. HITCHCOCK, acting Chairman of the Kulangsu Municipal Council, following an emergency session of the Council last night, sent a note to Mr. G. Uchida, the Japanese Consul-General, with regard to the five-point Japanese proposal for the reorganisation of the international administrative system in the Settlement.

It is revealed that the note notifies the Japanese that the Municipal Council will accept the first and fifth points in the Japanese proposition, namely control of anti-Japanese agitation and co-operation of the Japanese consular police with the Municipal Council police in the searching for and arrest of terrorist elements.

The Municipal Council promises to make further study of the third and fourth points, namely, enfranchisement of Formosan residents and nomination of three Chinese members of the Municipal Council by the chairman of the Amoy Peace Maintenance Commission.

The Council rejects the second point, calling for the replacement of Mr. Morhus as the Municipal Council Secretary and chief police officer of Japan.

The note expresses the readiness of the Council to appoint three more Japanese policemen in the Municipal Council.—Domet.

### Uchida Leaves For Tokyo

TOKYO, June 9.  
Mr. Goro Uchida, the Japanese Consul-General at Amoy, left here at 6 o'clock this morning aboard a Japanese warship for Taikoo, en route to Tokyo. He will proceed from Taikoo to Tokyo by airplane to-morrow.

Upon his arrival in Tokyo, Consul-General Uchida will submit to the Government detailed reports on the results of his recent negotiations with the foreign consular body and the Kulangsu Municipal Council regarding the proposed reorganisation of the Council.

### LATEST

### Hot Denial Of German Declarations

London, June 8.

The Prime Minister, in a written reply to Lieut.-Commander Fletcher, who drew attention to the recent official declarations in Germany that Britain was planning the destruction of German trade and all the bases of German existence with a view to achieving the political and physical extinction of the German people, said he observed with great regret that such allegations continued to be made despite the many positive declarations by himself and Viscount Halifax to the contrary.

Mr. Chamberlain referred to his speeches of May 12 and May 16 in which he said he insisted that discussion on some adjustment of the existing state of things could only take place in an atmosphere of mutual confidence.

"I can only repeat that the declarations, official or otherwise, made by Germany do nothing to assist in creating such an atmosphere," Reuter.

### Shot Fired In Kowloon Street

In an effort to halt a pickpocket as he ran through a crowd in Nathan Road, Kowloon, this afternoon, an Indian constable drew his revolver and fired a shot into the air.

The man eluded capture by running swiftly down a side lane.

The victim, a Chinese student, lost a wallet, containing money and papers.

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## "We Will Defend All Frontiers"—Belgium

BRUSSELS, June 8.—"We are determined to defend all our frontiers without exception or reserve, both in Europe and Africa," declared the Prime Minister, M. Pierlot, in the course of speech in the Chamber.

Defining the country's foreign policy, M. Pierlot declared that Belgium's policy was not one of neutrality, but independence. "Belgium is resolutely pacific, and determined only to take up arms against aggression directly threatening her vital interests."

Examining her relations with Holland, the Premier affirmed that Belgium did not desire a military alliance with the Netherlands. He said that Belgium meant to maintain correct peaceful relations with all her neighbours.—Reuter.

## DREADNOUGHTS IN PACIFIC

# Can Britain Send Ships?

LONDON, June 8.

THE PRIME MINISTER declared in the House of Commons to-day that the report on the New Zealand conference with regard to the Pacific had been received and was being considered.

The proceedings would not be published as they were confidential.

## TAKE FIRM ATTITUDE

### Chungking Urges British Stand

CHUNGKING, June 8.

WELL-INFORMED Chinese circles deplored the British concessions to the Japanese in Tientsin as "a weak attempt to apply to policy of appeasement in the Far East."

They claim that under no circumstances should Chinese citizens be tried under British or Japanese law or laws and that they should be punished under police regulations in the concessions or according to Chinese laws promulgated by the National Government.

British recognition of the Japanese invaders as the *de facto* authorities would be a clear definition of British foreign policy in the Far East—and could be recognised only as a concession to Japan or as a part of a policy of appeasement which has clearly failed in other parts of the world," it is claimed.

Pointing out that the strong British stand at Kuanlungu prevented further Japanese encroachment, they said: "A policy of weakness at Tientsin at present would only re-open the struggle between the third powers and Japan."

Moreover, the conference's conclusions were in the form of recommendations to the three governments concerned, and it followed that no statement could be made until the governments had had time to complete their study.

The conference was most satisfactory and afforded an opportunity for frank interchange of views on matters of mutual concern in the Pacific.

#### Singapore Base

Lieut.-Commander Fletcher asked if the Australian representatives had expressed any views regarding the fact that the defence of Australia was based on a fleet of capital ships being at Singapore, and that here appeared to be no prospect of such a fleet being stationed there in the immediate future.

The Prime Minister replied that he could not accept that view and he thought he could not add anything to what he had said.

Lieut.-Commander Fletcher asked if the Prime Minister was not aware that the view was the considered opinion of the Defence Minister of the Australian Government.

No answer was given to this poser.

"Japan always takes advantage of any weakness shown and Britain should move carefully before committing herself to any policy of appeasement such as the reported weakness at Tientsin which, it is indicated, is a policy she may be adopting."—United Press.

# U.S.S.R. PACT DEBATED IN THE LORDS

LONDON, June 8.

IN THE House of Lords to-day, the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, expressed the hope that a permanent Anglo-Polish mutual aid pact would be concluded shortly.

Responding to criticism of the delay in the negotiations with Russia, Lord Halifax said Great Britain was unable to thrust assurances of non-aggression on the Baltic States if they are not wanted.

"At the same time it must be recognised from the viewpoint of her own security that Russia cannot be disinterested in the security of her neighbours," he said.

#### Peace With Germany

He added that he thought the British people "still earnestly desire to reach an agreement with Germany" not only to assist in the settlement of any particular question, but also to place the two countries on a secure footing of mutual confidence.

Negotiations with Turkey for mutual defence in the East Mediterranean have been successfully concluded, he revealed.

Diplomatic circles report that Britain has prepared a new proposal for Russia whereby the three countries will guarantee each other's vital interests against aggression.—United Press.

#### LABOUR CRITICAL

LONDON, June 8.—Initiating a foreign affairs debate in the House of Lords to-day, Lord Snell maintained that the Government was driven at last to accept the main principles of collective security.

The Labour Party were perplexed when they saw that what they advocated, supposed to be a war policy, became a sure bulwark of world peace, when taken over by the Government.

Referring to Russia, Lord Snell said the delays taking place in arriving at a decision, were to say the least, disturbing.

The situation in the Far East seemed to be very unsatisfactory. British ships were stopped and searched, officers were arrested and detained.

## Lord Halifax Defends Govt. Foreign Policy

detained, and soldiers were apparently stabbed to death.

The whole situation looked anxious.

Without making any sort of an attack on Viscount Halifax, it would seem that his reply to the appeal by Dr. Wellington Koo at Geneva was disturbingly unsympathetic.

Viscount Halifax said the Government anticipated that all foreign personnel would be withdrawn from Spain without further delay. With regard to material, the Government had no intention of misleading Parliament. Quite obviously what we had particularly in mind was the question of war material under Italian or German control, because anybody who gave the subject a moment's thought must appreciate that there was nothing to prevent the Germans or Italians selling war material to General Franco if they felt so minded.

The point was exclusively raised during the negotiations with the Italian Government, and they made it quite plain that they must have the right to sell to General Franco if they so desired.

#### No Broach

Viscount Halifax said that he did not think there was any ground for complaint regarding a breach of the agreement.

The Foreign Secretary said that Lord Snell had referred to the Far East, where, as he had said, the situation in a good many directions and with regard to more than one incident, was one which was causing the Government considerable concern and anxiety.

"I can only assure Lord Snell, that as these several incidents arise, we do our best to see that British interests—and by that I mean the interests of British subjects as well as material interests—are accorded due respect, and the treaty provisions, which have been in more than one direction called into question by Japanese action, are, as far as we can secure, respected."

"I can assure the House that we shall do everything in our power in conjunction with other Powers to pursue that policy."

#### China Was Pleased

"Lord Snell referred to what recently passed with regard to China at Geneva, and was good enough to say that he had formed a particularly unfavourable judgment of the quality of sympathy in my speech when the matter came before the Council. Dr. Wellington Koo formed a different view, and when he spoke he thanked me for the sympathy with which I had spoken of the Chinese appeal.

Therefore Lord Snell will forgive me if I say that my conscience isn't particularly wrung by his approaches."—Reuter.

Dealing with the question of negotiations with other countries, Viscount Halifax said that Britain



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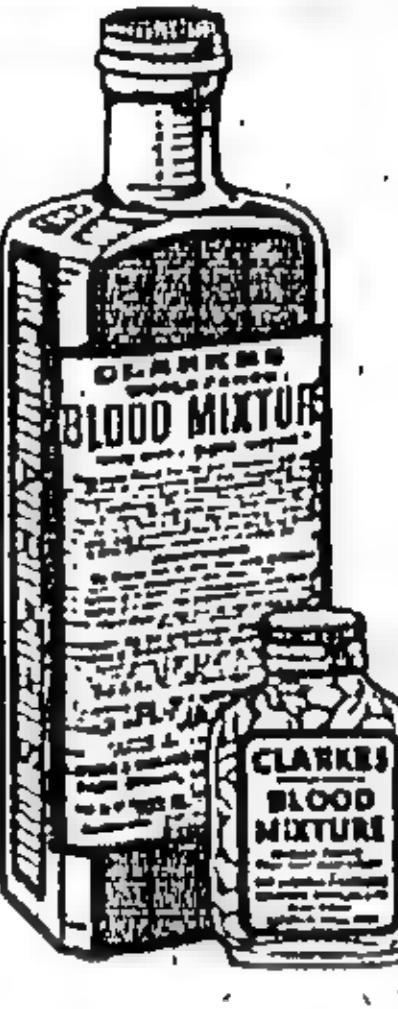
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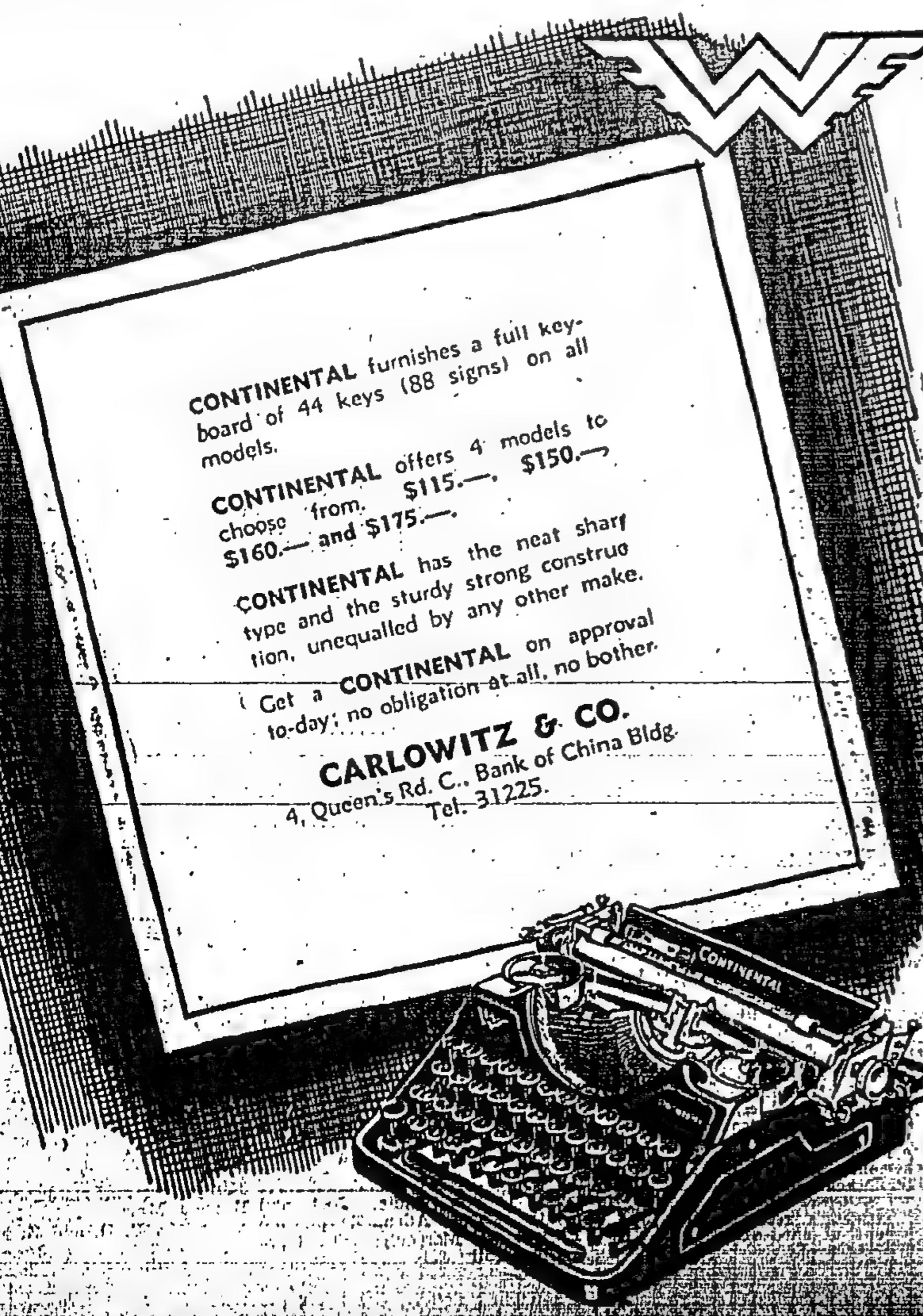
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Merchant, A. & B. £	27 n.
Mercantile, C. £	18 n.
East Asia \$	80 n.

### INSURANCES

Cantons \$	230 n.
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China Underwriters \$	1,45 b.
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Demonstrations Ps.	—
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Itogons Ps.	23 1/2 s.
Camurines Ps.	34 1/2 s.
San Mauricio Ps.	1.04 s.
Suyoc Consol Ps.	15 1/2 s.
Paracales Ps.	48 1/2 s.

### LANDS

Hulots \$	5.80 b.
Lands \$	37.10 s.
Lands 1/2 deb. \$	1004 b.
Shai' Landa Sh. \$	10.10 n.
Humphreys \$	8.14 b.
H.K. Realties \$	4.80 b.
Chinese Estates \$	100 n.

### UTILITIES

Trams \$	17.30 s.
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Peak Trams (new) \$	3.70 n.
Star Ferries \$	6014 b.
Y. Ferries \$	22.70 b.
China Lights (old) \$	8.80 s.
China Lights (new) \$	5.85 s.
H.K. Electrics \$	5634 s.
Maeo Electrics	18 n.
Sandakan Lights \$	12 n.
Telephones (old) \$	24 n.
Telephones (new) \$	7.70 n.
Traction s/-	20/ n.
Traction (Prof.) s/-	22/- n.

### INDUSTRIES

Cold: Mucg. (ord.) Sh. \$	14 n.
Cold: Macg. (Prof.) Sh. \$	13 n.
Canton Ices \$	1.10 b.
Cements \$	14 b.
H.K. Ropes \$	3.80 b.

### STORES, &c.

Dairy Farms (old) \$	22.30 s.
Dairy Farms (new) \$	21.20 n.
Watsons \$	9 s.
Lane, Crawfords \$	7.50 n.
Sinceres \$	1.80 n.
Wing On (H.K.) \$	41 b.
Powell, Ltd. cts.	90 b.

### COTTON MILLS

Ewo Sh. \$	22.10 n.
Shai' Cotton Sh. \$	113 n.
Zoong Sing, Sh. \$	—
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$	—

### MISC.

H.K. Entertainments \$	6.80 b.
Constructions \$	1 1/2 n.
Vbro Rilling \$	8 1/2 n.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925	—
G. Bonds	59.9 n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Lonn 4% prim. b.	—
H.K. Govt. Loan 3 1/2 4% prim. b.	—

### MANILA SHARES

Following are sales and bid prices:

### Afternoon, Morning

Closing Closing

Antamok \$ 21 24

Atoks \$ 10 1/2

Buguo Gold \$ 100 100

Batons, Buahay \$ 10 10

Benjuit Cons. \$ 11.40 100

Coco Grove \$ 36 36

Cons. Mines \$ 100 100

Demonstration \$ 11 11

Gold \$ 100 100

Hogen Mining \$ 234 234

Mambulao Cons. \$ 100 100

Mind. Motherlode \$ 114 114

Mine Oper. \$ 184 184

North Camarines \$ 344 24

Paracales Cons. \$ 100 100

San Mauricio \$ 100 100

Surigao Cons. \$ 100 100

Suyoc Cons. \$ 100 100

United Pacifics \$ 400 400

The following is Swan, Culbertson & Fultz' report on this morning's market:

Price changes were negligible at the close of the morning session on the Manila Gold Share market after a very dull and quiet period of trading. North Camarines lost 1/2 centavo, while United Pacifics closed 1/4 centavo lower to record a new low for the year. Yesterday's volume in Pesos amounted to 280,300.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### NOTICE

HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice of Interim Dividend.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR per cent. (4%) for the six months ending 30th June, 1939 amounting to FORTY cents per share on the Fully Paid Up Shares and TEN cents per share on the Partly Paid Up Shares of the Company will be paid on TUESDAY, the 11th July, 1939, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building, 4th Floor.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from TUESDAY, the 4th July to TUESDAY, the 11th July, 1939, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,

W. L. MCKENZIE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 5th June, 1939.

### U.S.S.R. PACT DEBATED IN THE LORDS

(Continued from Page 3.)

in the Mediterranean area and South-Eastern Europe.

**Departure In Policy**  
After recalling the Government's decision to send Foreign Office representative to Moscow to accelerate negotiations, Viscount Halifax said that the action of the British Government during the last few weeks represented a significant departure in British foreign policy.

Viscount Halifax, referring to the general situation, said that above all we must be sensible of the extreme importance of doing our utmost to understand the viewpoint of other nations, and to get them to understand our own.

"I am encouraged by Signor Mussolini's speech at Turin, when he said millions are asking whether we are on the road to war and he declared there were no questions justifying war, but if these problems are to be resolved by negotiation, there must be goodwill on both sides and a readiness to make allowances for the viewpoint of others.

"There must be conviction on both sides that the word of the other will be kept.

### Desire For Peace

"So far from wishing to embarrass Germany in the economic field, we know that a prosperous Germany would be good for Europe. Our one desire is to throw all our weight into the scale for a peaceful settlement.

"But the day has gone by when the independence of European nations can be destroyed by unilateral action, and it is clear that any attempt to do so will meet with wide and resolute resistance.

"Provided the independence of nations is recognised, the Government is not only willing, but anxious to explore the whole economic question, not only for Germany, but for all European nations.

"With regard to the possibility of an international conference suggested as a solution, I venture to express some doubt regarding whether a conference by itself, whatever may be its appeal to natural feelings and emotions, offers any remedy. Not all of Germany's claims are open to consideration around a table, and Great Britain is only anxious to see rival claims adjusted on a basis which may secure lasting peace. We are concerned to see these things settled by negotiation and not force, for on no other terms than those can international life go on."

### Was Not Unavoidable

In concluding, Viscount Halifax said that he did not share the view that war was unavoidable. There were complicated problems in Europe only too likely to lead to war, if roughly handled, and there were men who have it in their sole power to precipitate a conflict.

"If the issue were ever to be joined I have no doubt at all about the ultimate outcome, whatever may be the varying fortunes of war or the duration of the struggle.

"I find it very difficult to believe however, that with the certain prospect of resistance, with the awareness of the fearful consequences that must follow, and with the knowledge of the desire of all peoples for peace, and the readiness of all peoples to see matters settled by negotiation, that those who might feel tempted to risk an arbitration war, would not feel, if they might once convince themselves of the good faith of those with whom they have to deal, that it would be wiser and more profitable to resolve by negotiation, the difficulties which inevitably arise in the adjusting of claims and the satisfying of the needs of a constantly changing world."—Reuter.

### Iceberg Threat To Shipping

BOSTON, Mass., June 8.—Owing to the great danger from icebergs, the American coastguard authorities today issued a recommendation to all trans-Atlantic shipping to shift their normal shipping routes 100 miles southwards in order to evade the great masses of icebergs moving in the vicinity of the normal shipping routes.—Trans-Ocean.

## G. R.

### PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS

of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 12th day of June, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ventris Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

### PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

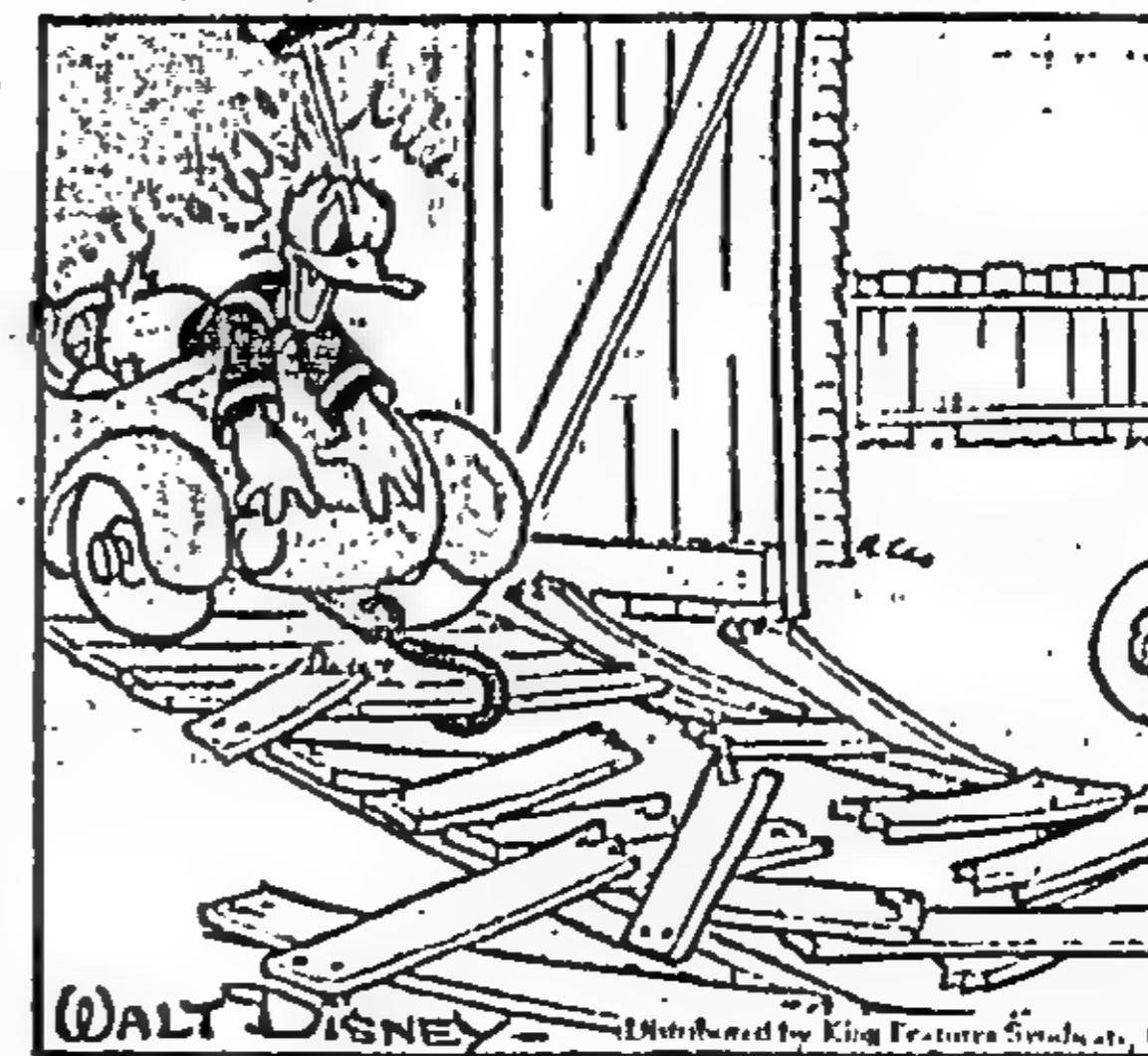
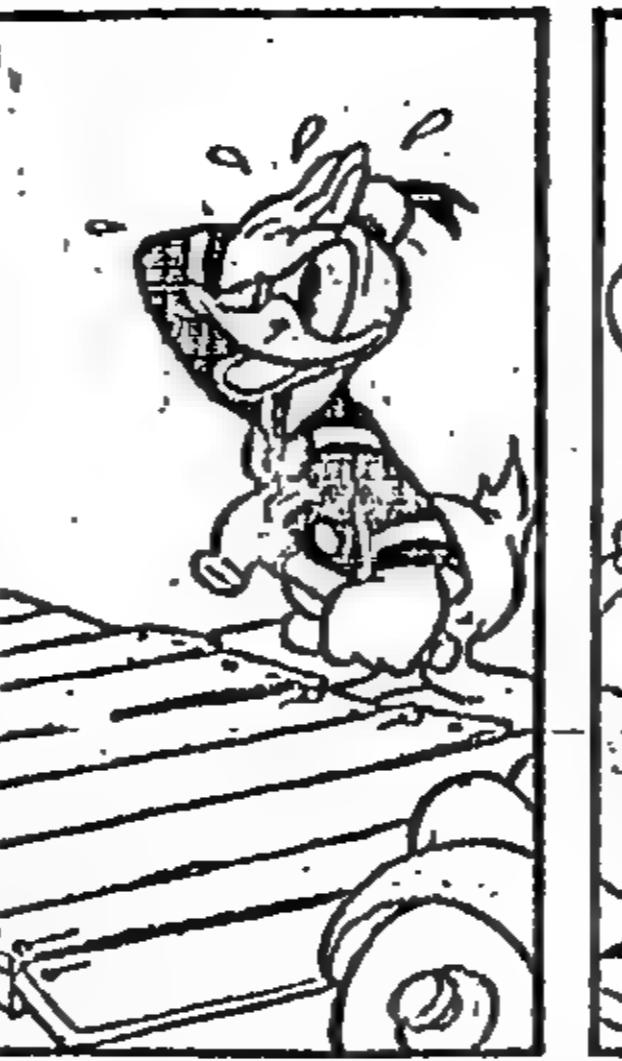
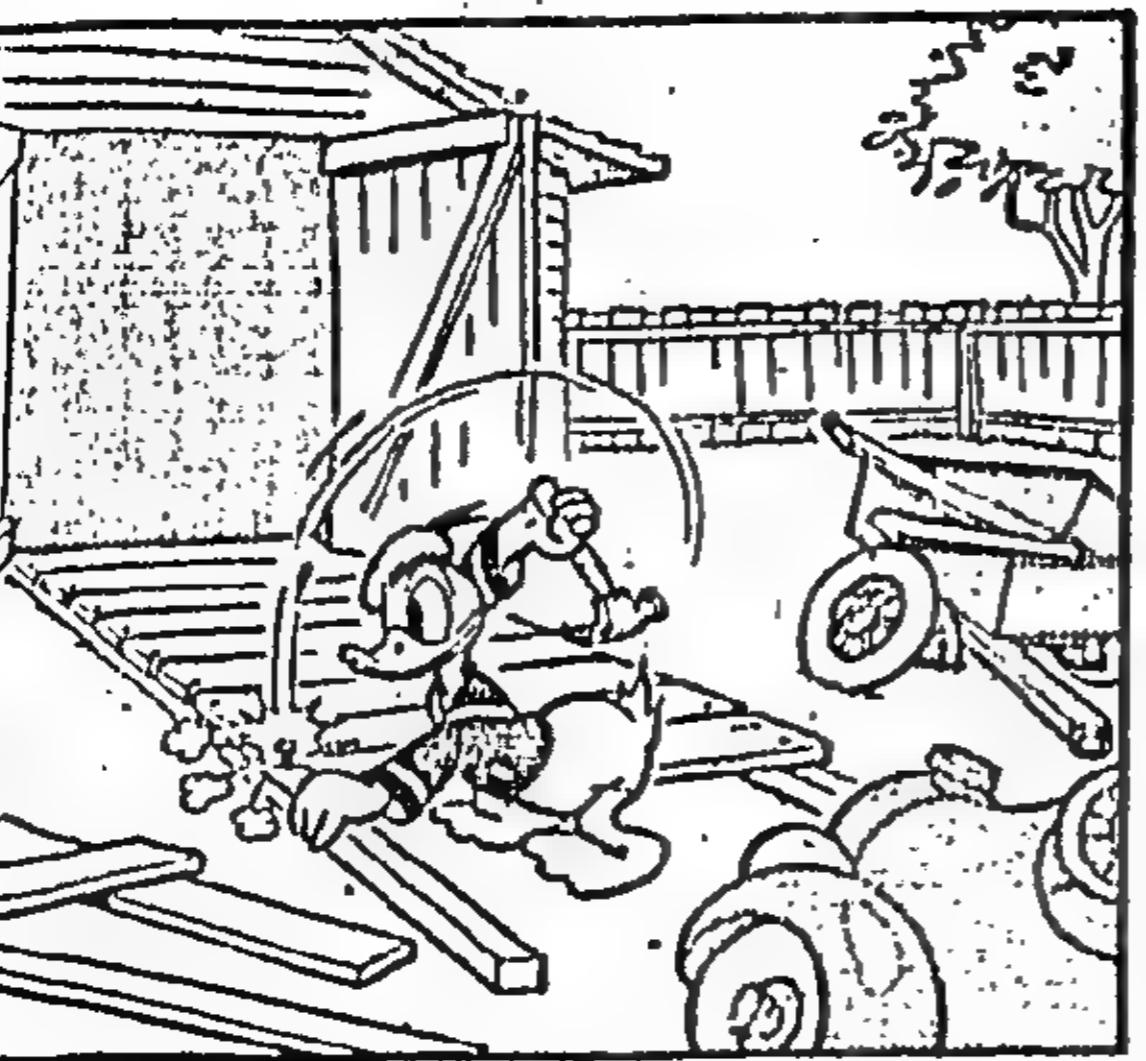
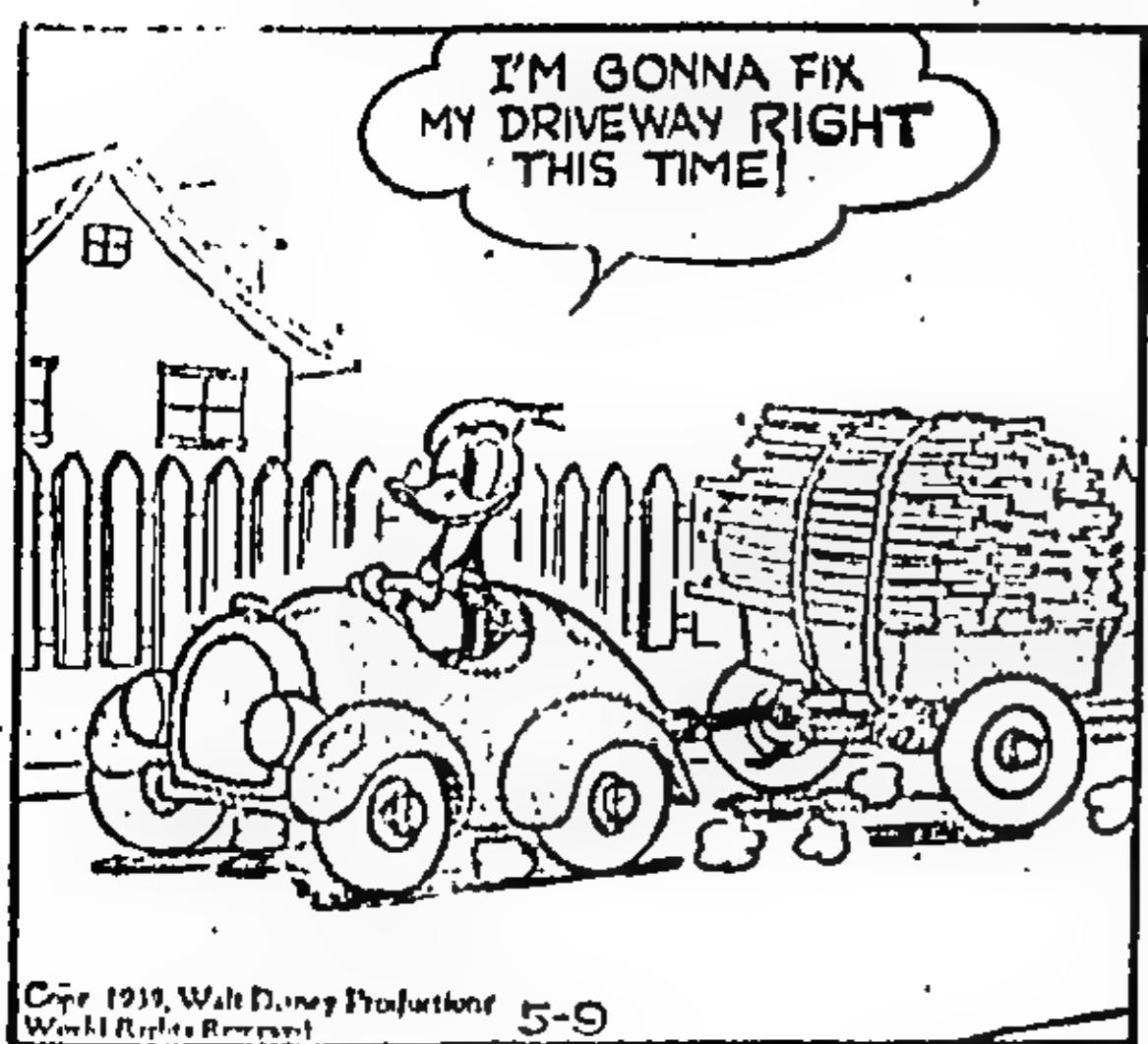
No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rent	Upset Price
1	Inland Lot No. 5329.	North of Inland Ventris Road.	feet feet feet feet	About 31,945	\$556	\$16,973
2	Rural Building Lot No. 423.	South East of Rural Ventris Road.	feet feet feet feet	About 13,100	\$1,512	\$1,512

as per sale plan.

### SELLING

T.T. London	1s. 22/32
Demand	1s. 22/32
T.T. Shanghai	200
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2
T.T. Japan	105 1/2
T.T. India	82 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	28 1/2
T.T. Manila	57 1/2
T.T. Batavia	54
T.T. Bangkok	160 1/2
T.T. Saigon	108 1/2
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T.T. Germany	71 3/4
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## COMMONS AND THE FAR EAST

## Britain's Sympathies With China Stressed

LONDON, June 8. REPLYING TO Mr. J. W. Banfield in connection with Viscount Halifax's recent speech at Geneva, Mr. R. A. Butler said that the Government proposed to continue to give effect to the resolutions of the League of Nations in favour of the maximum sympathetic aid to China.

Asked by Mr. Robert Morgan to state what effect the Government had given to the various League resolutions, Mr. Butler said he was sending Mr. Morgan extracts from the minutes of the League Council at which Viscount Halifax made it clear that the Government had not departed from the policy prescribed for League members in previous resolutions, and mentioning the lines on which they had taken action in recognition of their obligations under those resolutions.

## Yangtse Blockade

Replying to Sir Alfred Knox with regard to the freedom of transit on the Yangtse, Mr. Butler said that by coincidence, the French, British and American Ambassadors, and the naval Commanders-in-Chief had recently found themselves simultaneously in Shanghai, and no doubt they took opportunity of exchange views on various matters of common concern. Viscount Halifax was not aware of a formal meeting having taken place.

Further representations on the subject of British trade in the Yangtse delta were made to Japan by Sir Robert Craigie on June 6.—Reuter.

## Meeting in Shanghai

LONDON, June 8.—In the House of Commons to-day, Sir Alfred Knox asked whether, at a recent meeting in Shanghai of the British, French and United States Ambassadors, accompanied by their respective naval officers commanding in the China waters, the question of restoring the freedom of transit on the Yangtse to shipping of all nations was discussed; what conclusions were reached; and what action was being taken.

Mr. R. A. Butler replied that it was by coincidence that the Ambassadors and naval commanders found themselves together in Shanghai, and while he was not aware of any formal meeting, doubtless they took the opportunity to exchange views on various matters of common concern.

## Col. Spear's Arrest

Lieut-Commander Fletcher asked what action was being taken with

## Drastic Steps In Bohemia

## Sequel To Killing Of A German

PRAGUE, June 8:

The German Minister here has issued a proclamation instituting drastic measures at Kladno where a German policeman was killed last night.—United Press.

## Mayor Deposed

PRAGUE, June 8.—Drastic measures have been ordered by the Reich Protector for Bohemia, following the alleged murder of an official of the German police in Kladno, an important industrial centre in north-west Czechoslovakia.

The measures include the deposition of the Mayor and the Municipal Council at Kladno from office, disarming of the Czech police, and prohibition of open-air meetings.

If the murderer is not identified and taken prisoner by 8 p.m. tomorrow, other measures will be taken.

Czech police were disarmed in the main square in Kladno without incident.—Reuter Special.

## Russell Released

Washington, June 8. Immigration officials have telegraphed the Immigration office at Detroit to release Sean Russell on \$5,000.00 bond, which has been approved. It is said that a hearing on his deportation warrant will be heard next Saturday.

Meanwhile, the Detroit Immigration office has reported that Russell has been duly released in accordance with instructions.—United Press.

the Japanese Government relative to the arrest of Lieut-Col. Spear, and Mr. Butler replied that the matter had been taken up urgently with the appropriate Japanese authorities with a view to securing Colonel Spear's early release.—Reuter.

## King's Birthday

## Trooping Of The Colours In London

London, June 8. King's birthday was officially celebrated in London with the centenary ceremony of Trooping the Colour on the Horse Guards Parade.

Over 1,500 officers and men of the Brigade of Guards were on parade, or otherwise participated in the wonderful pageant in which the traditional movements were carried out with astonishing precision to the impressive accompaniment of slow and quick march music played by the massed bands of the Guards regiments.

The Duke of Gloucester, in the uniform of Colonel of the Scots Guards, depulated in the King's absence. The Duke of Kent accompanied his brother.

Buzz and excitement was caused by the arrival of Queen Mary, who was greeted with exceptional warmth and affection by everybody. The Little Princess, Margaret Rose, accompanied Queen Mary. Princess Elizabeth being absent owing to a slight cold.

Her Majesty, with other members of Royalty and General Gamelin, French Commander-in-Chief, watched the glittering military cavalcade from the balcony.—Reuter.

## Queen Mary Popular

London, June 8. Queen Mary made her third outing since her accident when she attended the ceremony. Many people waited for hours outside Marlborough House to greet her as she left.

Reuter Bulletin.

## 8 Die In Factory Accident

Rome, June 8. Eight workers have died and more are expected to succumb to their injuries as the result of an "industrial accident" in a factory in which 19 were injured.

The official agency disclaims all knowledge of the type of the factory or the cause of the accident.—United Press.

## ADMIRAL RETURNS

Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Commander-in-Chief of the China Squadron, returned to Hongkong yesterday evening from Shanghai in the I.M.S. Birmingham.

Sir Percy Noble left Hongkong during the recent trouble at Kulangsu, Amoy, where he participated in the three-Power negotiations with the Japanese authorities. Since then he has been in Shanghai.

## Another Cotton Plan For America

## Opposition To The Subsidy Scheme

Washington, June 8. It is learned that opponents of the cotton exports subsidy have advanced a proposal to earmark \$140,000,000 of funds in the 1940 agriculture appropriation bill to be used to pay farmers to keep their cotton from loan.

The proposals, however, will be fought by the Administration, it is indicated.

The cotton subsidy will be effective before the world conference indicated by Mr. Henry Wallace, Secretary for Agriculture to-day.

He told the press: "If we are going to have a successful international conference, it is obvious our cotton must be made competitive with other growths on an equitable basis."

Mr. Wallace strongly opposed the aforementioned alternative proposal, stating that it would cost twice as much as an export subsidy.

After Mr. Wallace's White House conference yesterday, it was made clear that despite President Roosevelt's protest against the budgeted excess appropriations, he will accept the Senate increases of \$338,000,000 in the appropriations bill. This includes \$50,000,000 available for export subsidy.

Meanwhile Senate and House conferees are understood to have been debating the proposals made by Senator Smith to write into the bill a definite ban against an export subsidy.

Another debate on this will take place on Saturday, and thus it appears that no agreement on the bill is expected this week.—Reuter.

## SPECULATORS CHIEF SUFFERERS AS CHINESE DOLLAR SLUMP IS HALTED

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to obtain foreign currency might have been one of the factors contributing to the slump. However, he pointed out that the Japanese yen has been selling below the Chinese dollar and, therefore, if the yuan slumps "it is only natural that the yen will also further".

He further expressed the opinion that the Japanese might be attempting to force down the value of the yuan as "a matter of saving face" because the value of the yen is below the value of the Chinese dollar.

He said there is no official version of the composition of the Advisory Board and therefore he could not comment on the reports that the British members were outnumbered by the Chinese by 3 to 2, or attempting to bring the yuan down to a "normal level" where there would be no possibility of depleting the Stabilisation Fund by maintaining "a higher rate than is necessary".—United Press.

## ENTENTE &amp; FAR EAST

(Continued from Page 1.)

to meet the contingencies of war with Britain and France.

Expert opinion is that Japan has been deterred from an alliance with the Axis, primarily owing to misgivings regarding the risk of defeat if the United States supports the anti-aggression bloc in a general war.

However, it appears increasingly doubtful, due to the uncertainty regarding the United States policy in the event of war, whether Japan will be restrained from joining the Rome-Berlin Axis.

British who have access to the makers of Japanese policy have hinted that Anglo-Russian co-operation in the Orient will be more sympathetically considered if Japan allies with the Axis.—United Press.

## Plane Crashes, Big Fire Spreads

BERLIN, June 8.—The German military plane which crashed into a house in Gelnhausen near Frankfurt on Main yesterday, started a fire which spread to 12 additional houses.

In addition to the three members of the crew, three inhabitants of the village were killed, six were seriously injured and one hundred slightly.—Trans-Ocean.

## Plane Into Tent

## Dutch Plane Crashes On Army Encampment

Amsterdam, June 8. A training plane crashed when flying over a military camp to-day, owing to an engine defect.

The plane struck a tent occupied by eight soldiers. One of these was killed instantly and six others were gravely wounded.

Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, who was just passing the camp in his motor car, rushed to the scene of the accident, and supervised first aid treatment of the victims.

The four occupants of the crashed plane escaped unharmed.—Trans-Ocean.

## South Atlantic

London, June 8. In the House of Commons, questioned regarding the British air service over the South Atlantic, Major Balfour said the necessary ground organisation was now being undertaken and it was not proposed to institute a regular service until suitable British aircraft were available.

He was hopeful the service would be instituted in 1943.—Reuter.

## China Clipper Arrives

The Pan American Airways China Clipper arrived in Hongkong from Manila shortly after 2 p.m. yesterday with mails and the following passengers:

Mr. Anthony Alsobrook, the Manila representative for the American drug firm of Frederick Stearns Co. making a business trip to Hongkong.

Mr. Rudolf Pasche, and Carmen Pasche. Mr. Pasche is the Master Mechanic for the North Camarines Mining Co. of the Philippines and he and Mrs. Pasche are on a pleasure trip to Hongkong.

Mr. Shigeyoshi Obata, connected with the Imperial Japanese Government.

Rev. Sydney Waddington, Episcopal Minister in Baguio, on a vacation trip to Hongkong.

Herz Claus von Miltitzstaedt is a mine accountant and has come to Hongkong for business reasons.

Mr. Ng Gang-chin, who hurried to Hongkong to attend the funeral of a relative.

## London Mails

Imperial Airways' Delphinus arrived at Kai Tak shortly after 3 p.m. yesterday with mails from Europe and Australia. There was one passenger aboard.

## AIR SERVICES

## Arrivals and Departures Of Planes

## Outward

For London, Australia and British countries: Imperial Airways 7 a.m. June 13. Imperial Airways 7 a.m. June 16.

For Chukking, Siam etc: Eurasia and C.N.A.C. services indefinite.

For U.S.A., via Manila and Guan: Pan-American Honolulu Clipper 8.30 a.m. June 15.

For France, via Honol: Air France 6.30 a.m. June 10.

## Inward

From London and British countries: Imperial Airways 5 p.m. June 13; Imperial Airways 3 p.m. June 15.

From U.S.A., via Guan, and Manila: Pan-American Honolulu Clipper 12 noon, June 8.

From Chukking, Yunnanfu, Kwei-lin: C.N.A.C. and Eurasia services indefinite.

From France, via Honol: Air France 1 p.m. June 14.

## PARTY ROBBED

Picnickers Held Up In Shamshui-poo Area

A picnic party of students was held-up and robbed by a gang of armed men in Wu-Tai-Kuk Valley, Shamshui-poo, yesterday morning.

The party of twelve schoolboys, led by Mr. Poon Sze-wai, 40, teacher employed by the Chinese Y.M.C.A., set out about 10 a.m. for a day's picnic. On entering the Valley, Mr. Poon and one student, Leung Kel-keung, went on ahead to look for a likely spot to camp.

They were about 100 yards ahead of the rest when three Chinese, armed with knives, suddenly confronted them. Mr. Poon was threatened and robbed of \$10.50, his watch, finger ring, and fountain pen. Leung was robbed of 45 cents.

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### DEATH

LEON.—Florinda Maria Leon at her residence, 8 Austin Avenue, Kowloon, at 2.45 a.m. on June 9, 1939, after an illness, aged 86. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Shanghai, Manila and Macao papers please copy). (No flowers by request).

The  
**Hongkong Telegraph**  
Wyndham St., Hongkong  
'Phone 26615  
June 9, 1939

### Currency

ANY JAPANESE hopes that the fall in rate of the Chinese dollar presaged currency collapse appear to have been doomed by the revelation that the Stabilisation Fund has deliberately allowed the rate to fall to a better economic level and will re-enter the market possibly to-day.

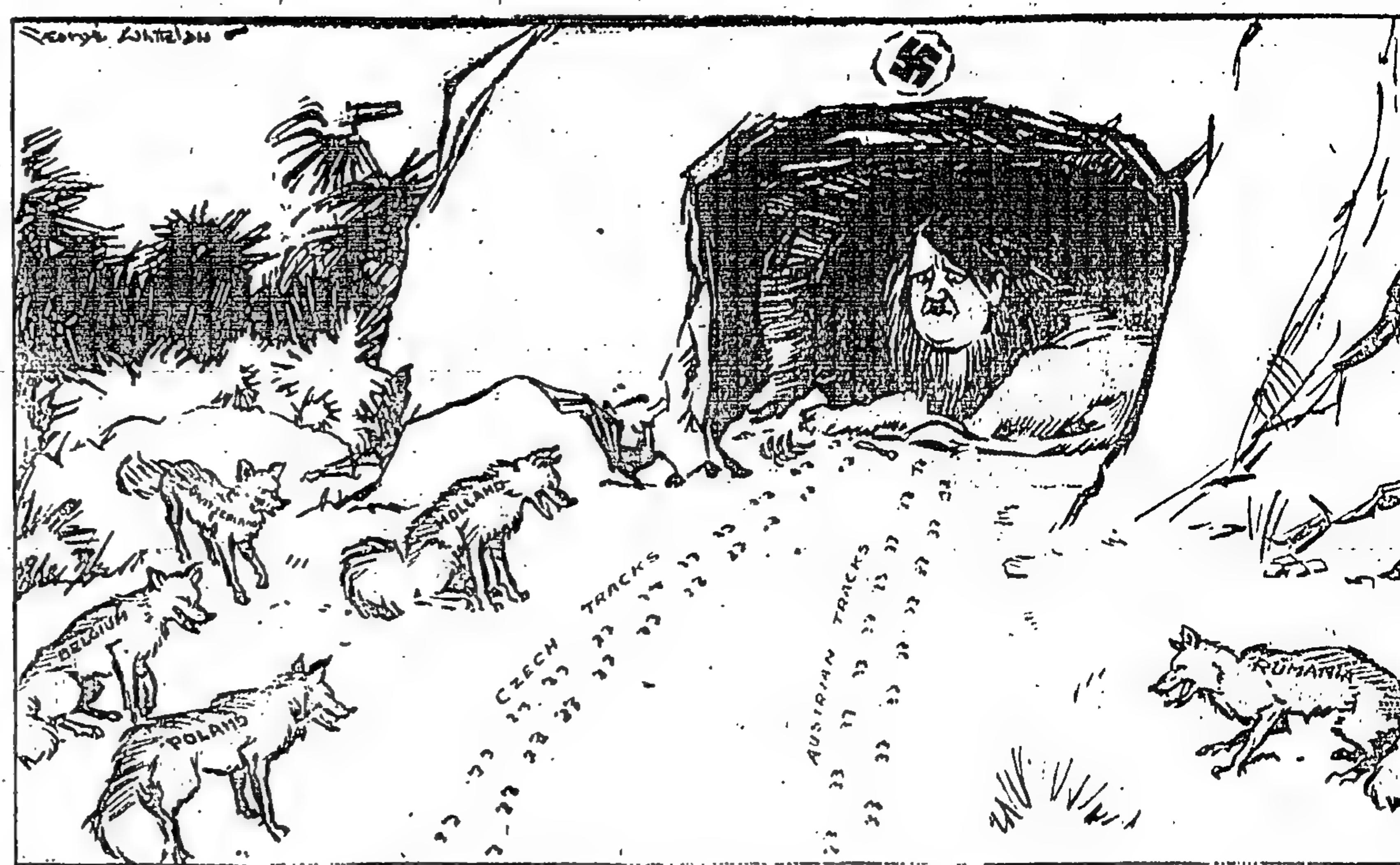
Actually, the Chinese dollar has for some time shown a stability which in the present state of affairs is little short of astounding and in the unofficial markets in both Shanghai and Hongkong has been freely quoted at a premium over the Japanese yen. For some months after the outbreak of war even the normal rate of 14 pence was held without great difficulty until the Japanese attempts to force into circulation the notes of their puppet Reserve Bank in North China compelled the Chinese Government to institute some restriction on exchange. Thereafter, the market quotations for the Chinese dollar steadily slumped to just over eight pence, but at that point the currency has been freely convertible into foreign exchange.

Exactly what is the state of the Chinese trade balance it is now almost impossible to say. Statistics for the first quarter of 1939 indicate that the adverse balance is somewhere between £7,000,000 and £9,000,000, but these figures need not be taken too seriously, for so much trade now passes through channels which scarcely fall within the purview of the statistician.

The sterling resources of the Stabilisation Fund have been provided by the two Chinese Government banks and two Hongkong British banks, the establishment of the fund being made possible by the indispensable financial guarantee of the British Government.

To lend its credit in this way is, indeed, the very least that the Government could do. British financial interests in China far outweigh those of any other Power, and indeed those of all other countries together. Though Britain's trade with China is only a small proportion of the motherland's total trade, it is by no means insignificant—the total was £10,491,000 last year and £14,101,000 in 1937 before the country was ravaged by Japan. And in the aggregate British capital in China certainly exceeds £200 millions and may be £300 millions.

China, therefore, is almost a member of the sterling bloc; and any threat to the Chinese dollar from the establishment of the yuan can now have little importance. The Japanese can have no legitimate cause for complaint. One could wish that the opposite were true. Not merely our own interests, but common decency also demand that Britain should continue to support China against the wanton and brutal aggression of Japan. Financial aid should not be allowed to rest until Britain has done its uttermost to help China defend herself (and incidentally our own interests) against the menace of Japanese domination.



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# What Stalin's children are taught at school

kens's "David Copperfield," of holidays in the country, of adventure stories with animals, of the tales of Jules Verne.

There is no summarising the endless variety of books now finding their way into the school libraries. I asked some of the younger children their favourite English authors. "Dickens and Rudyard Kipling," they said.

When Russians want to start anything now they find or invent a story to illustrate the idea. Every Russian schoolchild knows by heart a legend that has been circulated about Kirov, Bolshevik leader of Leningrad. He was assassinated fifteen months ago. Before his death he did a great deal of work for education, so he has since been made a kind of patron saint of schoolchildren.

The story goes that when a child at school Kirov was asked by his playmates to allow them to crib from him. He refused to do it, but instead this worthy little boy helped them to do the work for themselves. Framed in large letters across Russian schoolrooms is the moral of the tale: "I shall not allow you to copy, but I will help you."

### Story With A Moral

There is no evidence that this story is true, and no particular reason why it should be. It belongs to the same species as "Bruce and the Spider" and "George Washington never told a lie."

It serves its purpose. It underlines for the Russian child the Government's present attitude towards education. He must learn to do individual work, not depend on some one else doing it for him.

Stalin has most pronounced views on education. He is the terror of his more romantic colleagues. He has made a clean sweep of all the fantastic theories that were crippling the schools a few years ago. He insists on matter and methods that are thoroughly practical. He wants the younger generation that will enable them later in life to handle high power modern machinery with a technical efficiency sadly lacking among their elders.

### Parents Are Puzzled

In this the children are his ardent supporters. They are crazy about model airplanes and engines and love playing about with chemical and electrical apparatus. Many of their parents look on, bewildered by the things their children know.

Stalin has declared war on technical inefficiency. It is in the schoolroom that he expects to have his greatest victories.

### GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichy



"What with all my charity luncheons and teas, I just managed to exist through last winter."



# FIRST HALF OF RACE SEASON ENDS TO-MORROW

## CHIEF INTEREST ON LANTAO HANDICAP EVENT TICKETS SELLING WELL IN DOLLAR SWEEP

(By "Captain Foster")

Chief interest at to-morrow's Sixth Extra Race Meeting under the auspices of the Hongkong Jockey Club will no doubt be centred in the Lantao Handicap for "D" class China ponies over the mile course. A special dollar cash sweep is being conducted on the event and at time of writing the sale of tickets is nearing the 140,000 mark, which guarantees the first prize to be over \$63,000.

After the running of the Lantao Handicap, which is the last contest on the programme, the Hongkong Jockey Club will draw the curtain for the first half season and there will be no more flat racing until September 23. Our Australian and China "dumb friends" will evacuate from Happy Valley for their summer recess and it has been reported that some owners have already made arrangements for their racers to spend the holidays at Fanling and Macao.

While on the subject, the Macao Jockey Club has circularised a special notice to their members announcing that they have acquired the service of Dr. J. Vidgal, a graduate of Lisbon University of Veterinary Science, and all ponies grazing in Macao will be under the care of this vet.

A most interesting feature of last Saturday's racing was Mr. Encarnacao's fine riding; he had four wins to his credit including a "hat trick" which was the first to be scored at Happy Valley this season. The honour of being champion jockey for the first half season cannot be taken from Mr. Encarnacao by any other as he is well ahead to the front with a total of 26 winning mounts. His nearest rival is Mr. Neeca who has 15 wins and he is followed by Mr. Pili with nine successes.

### CONSOLATION RACES

Those "jockeys in the stand" who have "gone down the sink" may be able to get some money back tomorrow, for there are nine attractive handicap events, practically all being consolation races. The absence of several good 'uns and public favourites will not in any way lower the standard of racing and punters are assured of a good day's sport with the usual thrills.

History was made in the betting last Saturday when the Manly Handicap for Australian "C" class ponies was selected by the followers of the turf as the best "dill" of the penultimate meeting. The winner (Annabella) had 1,428 tickets for win, the second pony (A Great Time) carried 1,064 and Twilight Star, who finished in the ruck, was backed to the tune of 1,049 tickets. The total chances taken for a win amounted to 6,038 while for places the figure was 5,212 tickets. The two added together involved a turnover of \$60,750 which no doubt was a record. With the exception of A Great Time, barred from competing, all other entrants will be seen in action in the WallSEND Handicap and I wonder whether the betting will again be roused to a fever heat.

## First Half Mile Race For Aussies

First saddling bell for the opening of the Carpentaria Handicap for Australian ponies of this season, will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and it may be of interest to know that the contest is the first sprint over half a mile since the introduction of these animals from Antipodes. The ban on winners of \$500 or more has brought forward a few lame-ducks and they are Flinders River, Loquacious and Tarzan, all of whom have started only once. Southern Star did a lot of amah work during training and the mare has never appeared in public with the Kong Brothers' racing colours. With Janber and Baffra Bay out of the road, Ajax should have an easy passage to collect the first prize of \$600 stake money and with the Australian jockey Mr. Raymond in the saddle, the combination is hard to crack. Amber II and Pocoos should fill the minor positions in the frame.

### 21 ENTRIES FOR NANLING H'CAP

There are 21 entries for the Nanling Handicap for China ponies, subscription grims of this season, that have not won more than \$1,000 stakes, but it is not to be expected that all will weigh out owing to the fact that many of the entrants are in the Hwang Ho Handicap. However, I like the chances of Magoo, National Honour and Wild Bear and I will make my final selection to-morrow.

### Rose Emily Ought To Win This

Very poor response has been received for the Yangtze Handicap for China ponies griffins of this season in view of the embargo on winners. The run is over six furlongs and my fancy is Rose Emily to be followed by Galveston Bay and Peaceful View.



"Andy" Wright directing operations in a practice game this week at the Kowloon Cricket Club green while other players look on. F. E. Nash is on the right background of the picture.—Staff Photographer.

## PURCHASE OF GRAZING LAND CONSIDERED

(By "Capt. Foster")

It is learned that the Hongkong Jockey Club is contemplating, or may have even started negotiations, to purchase a big piece of land in Fanling for ponies to graze.

If this is correct, I feel confident in saying that the project will be received with open arms by all owners, big or small, as it will fill a long-felt want.

There are, I know, quite a few owners and trainers who have a prejudice against turning out their ponies to the flies which attack the animals in the pastures. The theory of some trainers may be right, but they must not overlook the fact that where the ground is "stained" with dung, the breeding of flies increases. So the care not to allow animals to feed where they dung is a valuable and natural protection.

Though I am no naturalist, I think the grassland should be fenced into different plots so that if one plot gets stained ponies may be removed to another grazing area. This will undoubtedly lessen the persecution of flies.

## Some Speedy Ponies Among The Entries

A fine scramble will be seen in the Hwang Ho Handicap for subscription China ponies of this season, that have not won more than \$1,000 stakes, but it is not to be expected that all will weigh out owing to the fact that many of the entrants are in the Hwang Ho Handicap. However, I like the chances of Magoo, National Honour and Wild Bear and I will make my final selection to-morrow.

### SECOND LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

The Shing Mun Handicap for "B" class China ponies is the second leg of the daily double, but there are no more than seven entries and the list is certainly small. Judging by the performances the first section ponies (Expansion Time and Humdrum Eve) should be well up at the finish. The latter is undoubtedly a better animal, but Expansion Time appeals to me on account of a pull of a few pounds and with Mr. "Vic" Needs up, the iron-grey mare is my choice. Potentate to be ridden by Mr. Encarnacao is dangerous. Gladstar, owned by Mrs. Grasett, cannot complain about the poundage; in fact, he has only five flights from the bottom of the staircase and I would recommend readers to back the pony, should the going be firm.

### Six Entries For Great Bight H'cap

In the Great Bight Handicap for "B" class Australian ponies that have not won more than \$1,000 in stake money, the great fight over six furlongs could only attract six nominations and out of the total two entrants (Flinders River and Tar-

(Continued on Page 9.)

### FIRST LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

The first leg of the daily double is on the WallSEND Handicap for "C" class Australian ponies and it will not keep the punters in long suspense, for it is only a sprint from the 1/4 mile post (about half mile 170 yards). The result of the Manly Handicap last Saturday was Annabella, A Great Time, and Murray River and it will be remembered that there was some heavy money poured on the first two. As A Great Time is ineligible for the contest, Annabella must therefore be the first favourite. I may be wrong, but it appeared to me that the third cob—Murray River—did not have a clear passage and this pony and her stablemate, Macquarie River, are worth following up. Brutus, belonging to Mr. Trevorson is under-a-cloud, but Breton owned by Mr. Nixon is looking extremely well and the distance is to the mare's liking. Breton is my best tip.

### West River H'cap May Be Tame

The West River Handicap is the longest sprint to-morrow for "C" class China ponies over a distance from the two-mile post, once round and in. It looks that it will be a tame affair and the field, I am afraid, will not be over half a dozen runners. Boont Bay has rejoined his old company, but I don't fancy him. At Galveston Bay has to carry topweight and is good reason to believe that the pony will not accept and I nominate Tyne, Bright View and Laughing Chp. I expect to see these three finishing in that order.



GALATEA in beating White Fox a head to win the Oaks Stakes at Epsom.

## Here And There With "Abe"

### More About Cricket In The West Indies

IN yesterday's issue was reprinted the first part of an article, written by S. H. Hayes in the *Cricketter*, on the West Indies cricketers, a team of whom is now touring England. Below is published the rest of the article:

"In 1928 a West Indian team came to England again, but hopes raised by the earlier team were not fulfilled. They won only five of their 30 first-class matches and had lost every Test Match by lunch-time on the third day. The old characteristics of patchy brilliance showed strongly. Challenor was nothing like the great batsman of the previous tour; their three really fine fast bowlers were handicapped by poor catching in the slips and behind the wicket. Many a time, said Constantine, "I wished I could field slips to my own bowling." This tour did make the name of that great player, L. N. Constantine scored 1,381 runs, took 107 wickets, and fielded gloriously.

### Great Performance

IN the drawn game with Essex he lashed up 130 in an hour and a half. Then he went to the Oval and saved the game against Surrey with half-centuries in each innings. The next match was at Cambridge; Constantine took ten University wickets for 86, clean bowled nine of them. And so to the Middlesex match, Middlesex declared at 352 for six wickets, Haig and Hendren having scored centuries. West Indies lost five wickets for 70 runs. In came Constantine to score 80 within the hour, nobody else 30. Middlesex again, but Constantine is feeling like it now and bowling at top pace he takes seven for 57. Hendren 50, none of the last seven double figures, 150 all out, West Indies 250 to win on a wicket now no better than it should be. Five wickets fall for 121, Constantine coming in again. Of the next 133 he scores 103, again within the hour, and West Indies are past the post by 3 wickets. The pavilion rose to him, and with reason.

### No Solidity

“SO the story of West Indian cricket thus far is not one of impressive team performance, of solidity, or even stubborn respectability. Rather do we think of an intoxicating mélange of brilliant hitters and headlong fast bowlers, of lithe, eager fielding, if not dependable catching. Great players they have had—Challenor, Constantine, Headley, Martindale, and many very good ones—Small, St. Hill, Roach and Scales, always looking for a chance to hit a four and if possible a six. John, Martin, Francis and Griffiths. When cricket grows often en-cro-wor and drab with sophistication and mere cleverness, the eagerness and sparkle of West Indian cricket are badly needed.”

### Speed Record

JOHN Cobb, the British motorist, is to return to the United States in August to make an attempt to break Captain G. E. T. Eyston's world land speed record of 357.6 m.p.h. This was revealed recently by Mr. Gus F. Buckland, Secretary of the Salt Lake City Chamber of Commerce, who stated that Cobb had notified him to that effect. Cobb had hoped to reach a speed of 370 miles an hour. Last year Cobb beat Eyston's old record with 350.20 m.p.h., but only held it for a day before Eyston set up his new record.

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# Tommy Farr Shows Some Of His Old Skill

## Larry Gains Retires At End Of Five Rounds: Injures His Right Hand

London, May 18.

Fighting with something like his old snap and speed, Tommy Farr, the Welsh heavyweight, won his second fight since his return to this country, when he beat Larry Gains, the veteran Canadian on the Cardiff City football ground last night.

Gains retired at the end of the 5th round. The retirement came as a surprise.

True, Farr was winning decisively at the time but he had caused no serious damage, and there was nothing to suggest that Gains would not survive the full distance of 12 rounds.

During the interval following the 5th round, however, Gains spoke to his seconds, and one of them called the referee, Mr. Moss Deyong. The latter hesitated for a moment, and then as the gong went to start the next round, he waved Farr back and called for the M.C.

It was announced that Gains had retired owing to an injury to his right hand, and one of his seconds at once began slitting the glove off with a pair of scissors.

There was not a single murmur of disappointment. The crowd of over 25,000, a record for Wales, had defied the bitterly cold wind to see Farr fight on Welsh soil again, and were delighted with his victory.

### FARR'S IMPROVEMENT

Farr boxed much better than he did in his previous fight against the American, Red Burman. He was quicker on his feet and more confident.

He used his left splendidly, and at times opened out with a furious onslaught of long, swinging punches which would have been dangerous to himself against a younger opponent.

What upset Gains, however, was Farr's ceaseless attack. The Welshman was fighting and punching every second. At close quarters he kept both arms free and battered away until Gains was able to clinch.

Farr was definitely better. It may be said, however, although it may seem to dilute these words of praise, that the opposition was very weak.

Gains is 37. He retired after 13 leisurely rounds against Len Harvey recently through sheer exhaustion—not through punishment received, but old boxing age.

Last night he met a man heavier and stronger than Harvey, and one who set a very fast pace. Gains has always been a brilliant defensive boxer, and he still retains his skill. But though able to foil Farr again and again, particularly in the early rounds, he himself never had time to strike a worth-while punch.

### PUNCHED AS HE LIKED

Farr could consequently throw punches as he liked, and as long as he kept punching nothing ever came back. That, of course, gives a fighter even greater confidence.

Farr had every incentive to take risks, and in the third round he

### SPORT ADVT'S

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 10th June, 1939, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

### MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Room at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chits etc.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27704) will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

### PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 5th June, 1939.

THE "TELEGRAPH" will send a Staff Photographer to all events of public interest. Requests should be addressed to the Pictorial.

Indian R.C. To Hold Tombola

The Indian R.C. will hold their first tombola at Sookunpoo this evening, starting at 8 p.m. The function is open to the public.



Strange are the ways of a man with a maid! Shirley Temple is inclined to agree with Joan Davis in her opinion of Bert Lahr's serenade in "Just Around the Corner," Shirley's latest 20th Century-Fox picture, opening to-morrow at the King's Theatre.

## DONALD BUDGE TOO GOOD FOR VINES IN WEMBLEY GAME

London, May 19.

Budge, Vines, Tilden and Nusslein, the big tennis four, were again in competition at Wembley last night to decide the professional championship. The two Californians, both with a victory to their credit, were playing each other. The two losers of Tuesday, Tilden and Nusslein were in conflict.

In the Wembley pool for this tournament is £1,000. The winner receives £250, while each of the other two gets £125.

The two young giants from California, each with his cannon-ball service, are there to uphold the supremacy of the Pacific West. Nusslein, the German, has come to give the Swiss delegate an opportunity of conferring with the Swiss Olympic Committee.

Switzerland will have until tomorrow noon to reverse their decision, but it is believed that should they continue to refuse to include skating in the Olympic programme.

Switzerland, which will stage the Winter Olympics of 1940 at St. Moritz has decided to include skating as a demonstration competition.

This announcement from the Swiss Olympic Committee was received with mixed feelings and although the Swiss position regarding this item was made quite clear, it was decided to give the Swiss delegate an opportunity of conferring with the Swiss Olympic Committee.

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## FRIDAY . . . FAVOURITES . . .

HERE we are at Friday again. The question is: What shall we have for dinner? The joint won't be ordered until to-morrow; and all the left-overs have been used up.

A good chance to serve one of the family favourites, such as rabbit casserole or Irish stew.

Or perhaps you like fish on Friday in anticipation of the week-end roast.

Here are some economical and nourishing meals from which to choose your menu to-day.

### Savoury Cod

First a savoury way with cod. Wash, trim and bone 2lb. tail-end of cod, then make a stuffing as follows:

Mix together 3oz. breadcrumbs, 1oz. shredded suet, a pinch of salt and pepper, 1 teas., chopped parsley, a pinch of mixed herbs, a few drops of lemon juice.

Bind with a beaten egg, then spread the mixture on to the fish. Roll this up, and tie securely with tape.

Place fish in a baking-tin with a little stock, then bake in a moderate oven, Regulo mark 4, for three-quarters of an hour, basting frequently.

When cooked, thicken the liquor with cornflour, and sprinkle the fish with chopped parsley.

### Sausage Pudding

Takes no time to prepare and is a great favourite with the children.

Line a greased pudding basin with a plain-suet crust. Arrange pork or beef sausages around the sides, with two in the middle, browning them first in the frying pan, if liked.

Fill in the spaces between the sausages with chopped onion and cold mashed potatoes and a pinch of powdered sage. Damp the edges of the crust with water, then cover the top with a suet crust lid.

Cover with a piece of greased paper, then tie down with a scalloped and floured cloth. It is a good plan to place a piece of buttered paper on the pudding cloth, to prevent sticking.

Turn out and serve with mashed potatoes and parsnips.

### Bacon Roly-Poly

Excellent way of using up left-over cold bacon. It can be either boiled or fried for this dish.

Melt a suet crust with 12lb. flour, 3oz. shredded suet, a pinch of salt, and a little cold water. Mix to a stiff paste, roll out on a floured board.

Lay some slices of bacon on the paste, sprinkle with a little chopped marmalade and sugar, then mustard. Moisten the edges, roll up lightly and pinch the ends together. Tie in a scalloped and floured cloth and boil for two hours.

### Tripe and Onions

Nourishing and easily digested, and a cost-little dish. Good for invalids and convalescents.

The small close type is generally preferred, and the usual way is to serve it with onions.

Peel three medium-sized onions and cook them until tender with a pound of tripe and half a pint of milk and water. Season with pepper and salt.

Thicken the liquor with a little blended cornflour, add a nut of margarine, and serve with mashed potatoes and more boiled onions.

### Orange Pudding

An economy pudding, light and digestible.

Ingredients: 12lb. self-raising flour, 4oz. margarine, cold water to mix, a pinch of salt, the rind and juice of 2 oranges, 3oz. sugar.

Rub the margarine into the flour and salt, add the sugar and grated orange rind. Add the orange juice and sufficient cold water to form a stiff paste. Roll out on a floured board, spread with a little margarine, roll up, seal the ends, and tie in a scalloped and floured cloth.

It is a good plan to place a piece of buttered paper on the pudding cloth, to prevent sticking.

Turn out and serve with hot custard.

### Baked in a Pie

Another delicious fruit sweet.

Ingredients: 12lb. self-raising flour, 4oz. margarine, 1 egg, 1oz. sugar, salt, rind and juice of large lemon.

Rub the margarine into the flour until very fine. Add the grated lemon rind and juice, stir in the sugar, egg, and a little milk if necessary. Mix well, pour into a greased baking tin, and bake in a fairly hot oven for 1 hour, Regulo mark 5.

This pudding is sufficient for five persons. Orange juice and the rind can be used in place of the lemon.

### Mincemeat Roll

You will be wanting to use up the left-over mincemeat I expect. Here is a good way.

Mix 2 cupfuls of self-raising flour with a pinch of salt and 3 tablespoonsfuls of shredded suet. Add sufficient cold water to form a stiff paste, then roll out on a floured board to about  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch thick.

Spread liberally with mincemeat, damp the edges and roll up, pinching the ends well together. Fold in a piece of greased paper, then in a folded cloth. Tie each end securely, fix a safety pin in the centre. Steam for at least 2 hours.

### Irish Stew

Substantial and very tasty.

Ingredients: 1lb. scrag end of neck or breast of mutton, 1 pint water,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. onions, 2lb. potatoes, salt and pepper.

Cut the meat in pieces, put into a stewpan with water and salt, bring to the boil and skim. Add onions and one-third of the potatoes (sliced).

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Simmer slowly for 1½ hours, then add the remainder of potatoes, and cook slowly until tender.

Turnip well and serve. Turnips and carrots may also be added.

## Rabbit en Casserole

SATISFYING and savoury for the family dinner.

Ingredients: 1 good-sized rabbit, a few strips of fat bacon, 2oz. butter or margarine, 2 onions, 3 slices of lean bacon cut into dice, 1 heaped tablespoon, flour, 2 teas., chopped parsley, 1 teas., thyme, salt and pepper, 1 bay leaf, 1 pint stock.

Tie the ends with tape, fix a safety pin in the centre. Boil for 2½ hours, or steam for 3 hours. Turn out and serve with hot custard.

### Baked in a Pie

Those who have oily hair are lucky during the summer, but should give it the following treatment:

Glycerine added to water (about a teaspoonful to a pint) should be applied to the hair, especially to that part not shielded from the sun, before venturing out of doors.

Wearing one's hat seems to be good an answer as any to this problem, but it is by no means a popular one.

It is possible, however, to treat the hair so that, even without the hat, it will escape, to a great extent, the harm which the sun can do.

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If the hair is short the glycerine may be applied by wetting the palm of the hand with it, and smoothing the hair.

If the hair is long, it should be patted on before the coiffure is completed.

### For Dryness

Dry hair should be consistently treated with some good nourishing oil which a hair expert will recommend.

By these methods you can be certain that the colour your hair possesses will not be taken from it.

But the lustre and polish which has gone is another matter, and will come back only through carefully watching the diet and general health.

Until the lustre comes back naturally a little brilliantine will accomplish wonders. This should be applied sparingly and should correspond with your favourite scent.

If the water is hard, try to procure warm rain water and your hair will then be sure of a good, safe bath.

If rain water cannot be obtained it is a good idea to give the scalp a frequent oil rub.

Never leave salt water in the hair after a refreshing dip. Wash it out and at once—and then sit in the sun just long enough to dry it.

### With Hard Water

If you are forced to use hard water, add the juice of a lemon to the last rinsing water. If you are a blonde, and to the next to the last rinsing water if you are a brunette.

Lemon has a tendency to bleach the hair, and if the very last rinse is made in clear, cold water the bleaching element will therefore be removed.

If you follow all these directions you will find that next winter will not be one of despair because the hair is "off colour," crisp, dry, and lifeless.

Nature is kind, however, and will ultimately give back your lost colour if you are patient. Watch your health, protect your hair from the sun, and you will be rewarded by retrieving your own natural shade.

Juliet Sanford

## Hair Care In Summer

IN summer hair is liable to become dry, harsh, and lustreless when exposed to the direct rays of the sun.

The heat of the sun, although a natural force, does to the hair what an improperly handled curling iron may do, and has all day in which to do it.

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### Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

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2—East Indian matting  
3—Cotton fruits  
4—Boots  
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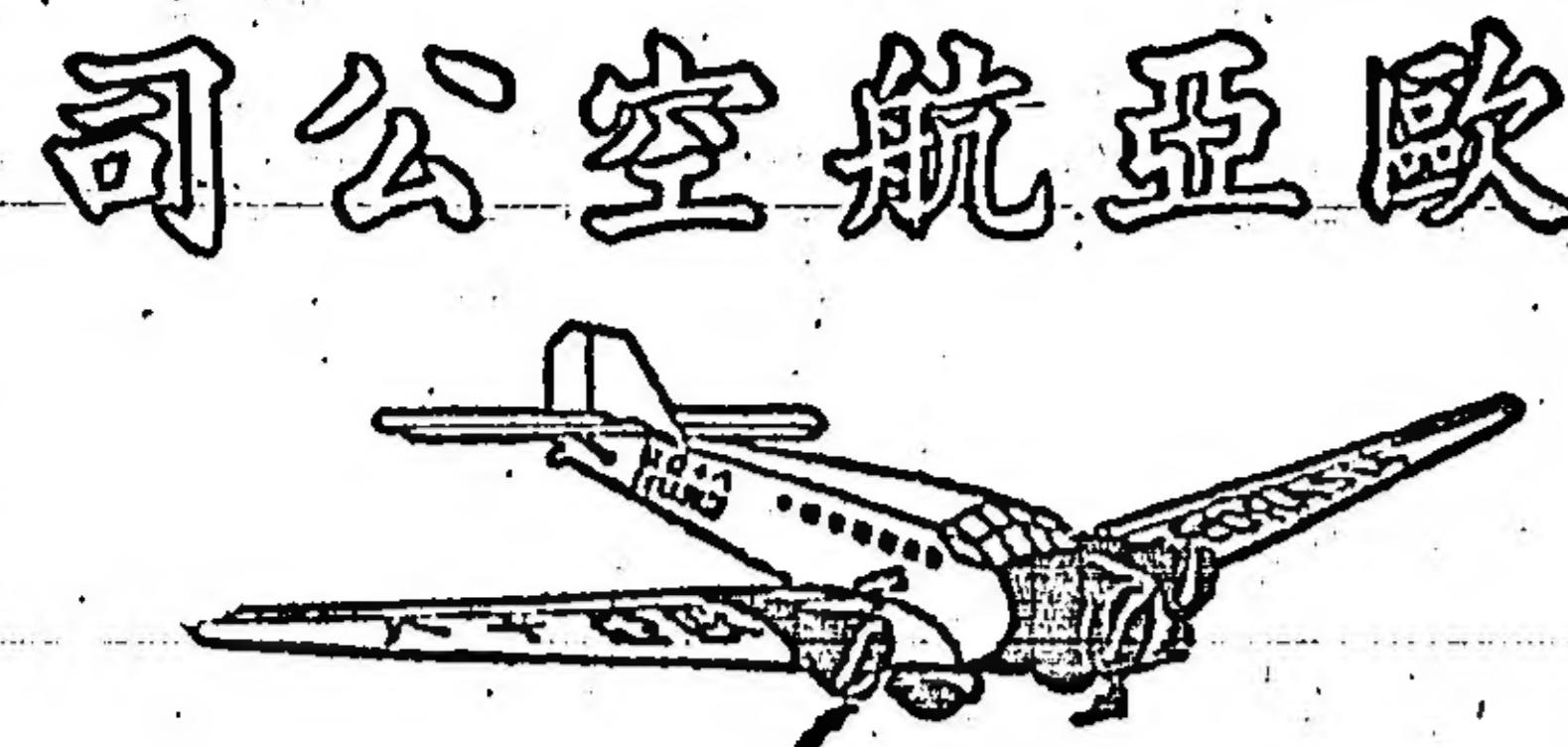
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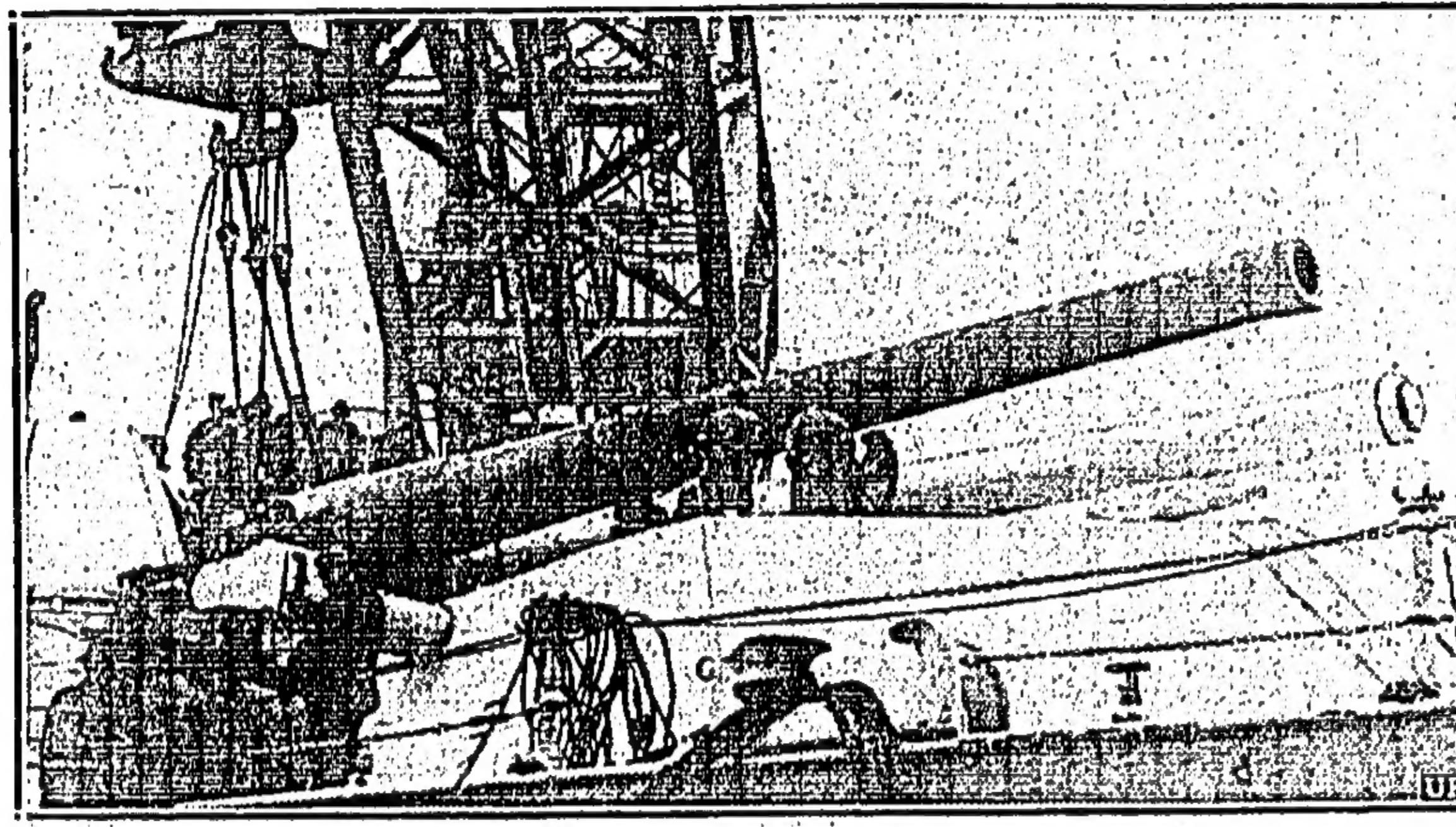
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## PHOTON NEWS



Hosts at a farewell dinner to the King and Queen, as shown in this photograph, were Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, right, and Mrs. Kennedy, left. Menu included Baltimore shad roe, Virginia ham and Georgia pickled peaches. All nine Kennedy children, together for the first time in England, met the British sovereigns.



The American battleship West Virginia, gets a new tooth. It's a 16-inch gun being placed in the No. 2 turret before the big ship leaves the Brooklyn, N. Y., navy yard. After the gun was fully set, the ship left to join the Pacific fleet.



Mexico City rioter who took part in clash between supporters of Vicente Toledano, head of powerful Labour Confederation, and opponents in hands of police. He demonstrated too enthusiastically.



President Roosevelt speaking to the Red Cross convention from the South Portico of the White House. He scored inhuman acts which have shocked the world.

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Bringing cargo from Dunkirk via Hongkong, arrived Hongkong on Thursday the 8th June, 1939.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored into the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before 17th June, 1939, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor

Messrs.—Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Wednesday, 14th June, 1939.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL.  
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Hongkong, 8th June, 1939.

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The fight took place in Graham Street shortly after 9 a.m.

## PRESIDENT LINER

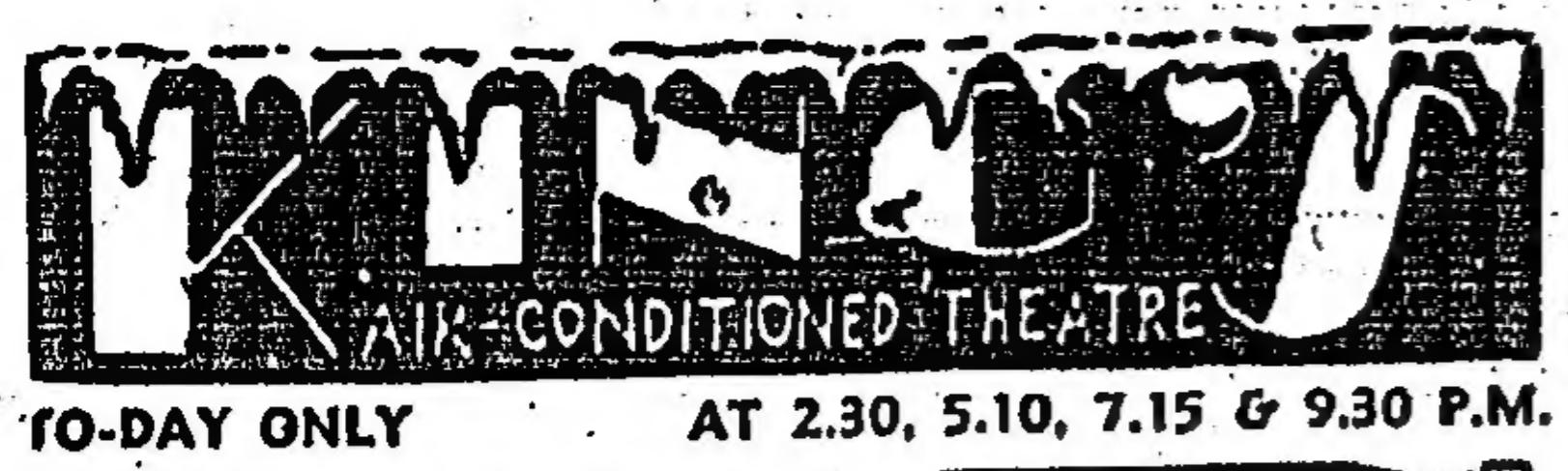
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## Film Industry Says New Tax Means Ruin

THE cinema industry, protesting against the Budget tax on film, has been urgently trying to circumvent a blow which, it was declared, would place the whole industry in jeopardy.

Following a meeting in London of all sections of the industry a statement was issued declaring that the new tax, among other things—

Would increase the cost of film by more than 100 per cent;

Might mean the immediate extinction of some British film companies;

Would curtail the importation of American films and have a serious effect on exhibitors.

## 2,000 Attend Garden Party

### Government House Reception

At Government House yesterday morning Consular representatives paid formal respects to the King, through the Governor, and in the afternoon the House and gardens became the scene of a colourful garden party, the day's chief social occasion and one of the most pleasant Vice-Regal functions of the year.

Invitations issued numbered 2,338 and most of these were accepted. The Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, pleasantly received and made everyone immediately welcome, spending the whole afternoon among the guests after the business of formal reception was over. Tables arranged on the lawn, each decorated with fern pot, accommodated the guests, conditions being made more pleasant by the fact that the sun was mostly veiled by cloud, though no rain fell.

Afternoon tea was served at the tables and in the ballroom, and drinks were dispensed from a matched pavilion draped with flags at one side of the lawn. A flow of unobtrusive music was provided by the Middlesex Regiment Band and the Royal Scots Pipers.

The absence in Shanghai of the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl Macgregor, prevented he or Lady Macgregor attending. Lady Noble was present, but the Birmingham brought back the Commander-in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, too late for the afternoon. One notable guest was Mr. H. F. Dyott, Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce at Tientsin, who figured in a sensational episode in February when he was the captive of Chinese bandits for 17 days. His wife was also present.

Shameen Celebrates

Shameen, June 8. The British community to-day cast away its cares and worries in celebrating His Majesty's official birthday.

A review of the combined police and naval forces was held at 9.30 a.m. in Queen's Garden when Mr. A. P. Blunt, the Consul-General, took the salute.

A reception was held at the Consulate-General from 11.30 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. at which the Consular body and representatives of the foreign communities were present. The health of His Majesty was proposed at noon.

— Reuter.

### LIKELY TO RECOVER Chinese Detective Shot In Gun Duel

Constable Wan Man, who was shot in the stomach by a gangster on Monday morning during the Li Yuen Street shooting affair, was stated yesterday to be still in a critical condition.

The operation performed on him at the Queen Mary Hospital has been highly successful and his good constitution may help him to pull through.

"He is holding on very well and there is every chance of a recovery," said a police officer.

### CCC Youths Uncover Gold

Pasadena, Cal. CCC workers in Griffith Park's Fern canyon unearthed a tin cup containing 19 \$20 gold pieces. The can had apparently been buried for years. Customs officers impounded the gold and reimbursed the finders with silver certificates.

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## ARREST OF WANG IS ORDERED

### Chungking Brands Him Traitor

CHUNGKING, June 9. ARREST OF Wang Ching-wel, expelled Kuomintang leader, was ordered by the National Government in a mandate issued yesterday.

The mandate said that after his expulsion from the Kuomintang and dismissal from his official posts, Wang still failed to awaken to his own blunder. Instead he proceeded secretly last month to Shanghai, where he associated with traitors and the enemy and engaged in high treason.

According to the mandate, over 1,000 petitions had been received by the National Government from the people at home and abroad asking for the immediate arrest of Wang. All military and political organs were therefore instructed to help to effect his arrest and subject him to punishment in order to uphold law and discipline.—Central News.

### Wang Dismissed

CHUNGKING, June 9.—The Southern Overseas Chinese Refugee Relief Association has dismissed Wang Ching-wel, expelled Kuomintang leader, from the post of honorary chairman of the Association for his alleged subversive activities against the state.

In addition, the Association has petitioned the National Government to punish Wang.—Central News.

### Indoor Bowls

## Champions Extended By Scratch Team

The first match of the first round of the Ewo League, third tourney, was played off last night between the "Champs" and the "Bulldogs." The "Champs," who have never yet been beaten, won by the narrow margin of 116 points.

The losers' feat was the more remarkable as three members of the team failed to turn up and their places had to be taken by Chas Miller, of the Intercontinent (China) Ltd., F. R. Hollis, of the U.S.S. Mindanao, and Mr. Gray, of the U.S.S. Ashville.

In the third game the champions were beaten, and the finish was very close.

Scores:

	"Champs"	Total
Ernie Heaster	100 209 148 543	1,044
Dick Venetini	151 183 160 498	
Doc Molthen	151 179 153 485	
Gene Forlano	153 137 128 420	
		1,022
	"Bulldogs"	
Chas Miller (Deputy)	171 172 107 640	
F. R. Hollis (Deputy)	143 160 174 479	
Gray (Deputy)	144 130 160 429	
Bomb T. Barker R.A.	126 101 390	
	Total	1,022

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## Born And Died In Hongkong

### Mrs. F. M. Leon Passes At Residence

MRS. FLÓRINDA MARIA LEON, who was born in Hongkong 66 years ago, and had lived there ever since, died early this morning at her residence No. 8 Austin Avenue, after an illness of some months.

The widow of Mr. I. F. Leon, Mrs. Leon was, before her marriage, Miss F. M. Silva, and was especially well-known in Kowloon. She leaves two sons and three daughters to mourn their loss. They are Mr. C. A. Leon of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Mr. F. L. Leon, Mrs. J. S. Rodriguez, Mrs. C. E. Vas, and Mrs. B. J. Yap.

The funeral will take place this afternoon, when the cortège will pass the Monument at 5.30.

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